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CORP. A. D. MITCHELL, Co. G. 6th. Mass. Regt.

LOWELL BOYS FOUGHT WELL

Acted Bravely in the Fierce Attack at Guanica.

Corporal William E. Golden Cut by a Machete and Laid up in the Hospital—Corporal Mitchell's Interesting Letter—Co. G. in the Thick of the Fire.

Below will be found several interesting letters from members of the Sixth regiment from which it appears that the Sixth and the Lowell companies in particular, did some hot fighting. Corp. Mitchell writes as follows: :

Ponce Porto Rico Aug. 15 1898.

Dear Mother:

We are still in camp at Ponce with no prospect of leaving here for some time. I do not know whether or not our regiment will be moved against San Juan as yet. We have got the Spaniards hemmed in and do not anticipate much more trouble from them. I am on the outpost today with a detail of three men. We are about a mile from the camp proper stationed on a high hill from where we can view the country for miles around and see well out into the harbor. We have fruit in abundance here and while we have formed a diversion against it, there should be no fears of our dying by starvation. Just as I am writing this letter to you, one of the Ninth boys has brought in a large meal bag full of sweet corn and we are about to cook it for dinner. His name is Sicard. Willie knows him. He has a brother in Company H, and they are both Lowell boys. I got bit the night before last by a centipede on the neck. The swelling caused by the bite kept getting larger through the night but after enjoying a sleep, I woke up to find that the lump had almost disappeared and nothwithstanding that the bite was poisonous, I am feeling well and am as lively as my other comrades. The surgeon cauterized the wound. I suppose you have heard of us losing our colonel and other officers and the reasons for it. . This is all at present. I remain,

Your loving son,
—Sonny.

Corp A. D. Mitchell, Co. G, 6th. Mass. Regt., Ponce, P. R.

THE FIGHTING COMPANY.

P. Wallace of Co. G. has written a letter in which he says that Co. G. Sixth Regiment, did all the fighting in an engagement they had. The letter is as follows:

Ponce, Porto Rico.
August 3, 1898.

Dear Wife:

I write you these few lines hoping to find you in good health, as this leaves me at present, thanks be to God. Dear wife, we have started on our terrible long march from one end of the island to the other; we have just arrived at this place and the boys were dropping by the wayside. We got in camp with only 13 men out of 106, so you can see how it is; but I keep up all the time. Lots of the boys are sick, but it is worth all hardships to me to see a glad look on the poor natives' faces, for the Spanish soldiers are devils. They have gone into the houses and have thrown the men out, and abused the women, and when they found out that we were coming, they drove the young girls into the mountains. They told the natives that we would kill them if we caught them so when we came, the poor women went out on the hills and remained there all night in the rain, but when they found out that we would use them all right, they came into the town again, and are all happy. The glad look in their faces would pay us for all the hardships we have to put up with. When we landed in the town first, the Spaniards fired a few shots and ran to the hill; so guards were sent out to keep firing on them and at half past two o'clock in the morning we had to get up out of our nice soft bed and go out about three miles to drive the Spaniards back. We were walking along the road never thinking they were so near, when the Spaniards, about ..0 of them, strong, fired shot after shot into us. There were only 400 men of us and it was God alone that saved us. I had a bullet go right through my hat. We chased them out of the hills and killed and wounded 40 of them. Company G did all the fighting. We don't get any news here. They tell us the war is near over. We will all be glad when it is. The last letter I got from you was dated July 6th. Kiss the baby for me; tell father and mother that I am well. Goodbye. Hoping soon to see you all I remain.

Ever your loving husband.
—P. Wallace.

CORPORAL GOLDEN.

Corporal William E. Golden of Company G. Sixth regiment, has many friends in this city who will be pleased to hear from him. In a letter to a friend, he writes:

Ponce, Porto Rico.
August 4th, 1898.

Dear George:

I am still living and in good health only I have been laid up with a cut on the foot from a machete for a week. I will be all right in a few days. When we landed on this island we had a pretty hot fight in the town of Guanica, and Company G was in the hottest of the fight. There was only one killed and six wounded in the Sixth regiment, and the Spaniards had 80 killed and 40 wounded. There were 700 Spaniards and the Sixth regiment was fighting them all alone. They had new rifles, and we had the old American Springfields and they could fire six shots to our one, but we are going to get the Krag-Jorgeson, the best in the world, today. We marched eight miles to the town of Yauco and captured that and then with five hours' sleep and some hard tack and a drink of water, we were put on a forced march of 22 miles to this town with the men falling all along the road and if you would lag back the officer would make you brace up and they said any man who dropped out would be shot. George, they treat us terribly. Our doctor came and looked at me and ordered me to the hospital. I was in a Spanish hospital and they treated me better than the Americans. I was there two days and there were 18 privates and 2 Spanish officers in there. All the big houses are flying the same flag. We have had several skirmishes with the Spaniards since. All kinds of fruit grow here, pineapples, cocoanuts and lemons and all kinds of bananas and the natives do not wear much clothes. I will write more in my next letter. Our colonel and lieutenant-colonel and two captains and Major Taylor and the chaplain all had

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CITY OF LOWELL

The Old Engine Pumped by Butler "Vets."

IT MADE A REMARKABLY GOOD SHOWING

And Came in for Fourth Prize.

The play-out in the firemen's muster today was a great affair. Records were broken and had it not been for an unfortunate occurrence the Gen. Butler company of Lowell would have made a mark that would have stood for years to come.

What little wind there was favored the stream.

Of the 31 entries, 28 went on the playing stand and at the close there was a new record. The record of 212 feet, 7½ inches, made by the Watch City of Waltham, at Hartford, Conn., Sept. 12, 1895, was beaten both by the City of Lynn and by the Deluge of Cambridge. The Gen. Butler of Lowell made a splendid play, and would very likely have won had they not made a blunder. Their play showed a mark of 218 feet, but they forgot the drawback, reducing it to 210 feet 2 inches. In their excitement a nut was injured and it was impossible to work their full crew on the second trial.

Only one accident marred the day. While the Bostons were playing, the pipe got away and hit Albert Egerton of Revere. He did not at first know he was hurt but after the play was over he fell in convulsions. He was removed to a hotel and was later reported doing well.

The following was the result of the playout:

City of Lynn., Lynn., Mass.....	212	8¼
Deluge, Cambridge, Mass.....	212	5½
City of Somerville Somerville..	211	2¾
City of Lowell, Lowell, Mass....	210	2
Kennebec, Brunswick, Me.	208	7½
Nonantum Newton, Mass	208	4½
Whaler, New Bedford, Mass....	205	3¾
Bawheese, South Gardner, Mass.	200	8¾
Veteran Charlestown, Mass.....	199	11⅞
Watch City, Waltham, Mass	199	11¾
Roxbury Vets, Roxbury, Mass ..	199	5½
City of Homes Springfield, Mass	197	5½
Gen. Putnam, Worcester, Mass.	195	3½
Unions, Peabody, Mass	193	5⅞
Gulf Stream, Fall River, Mass..	190	8
Tekeosnoow Woonsocket, R. I...	190	5½
White Angel, Salem, Mass.	190	
Hartford, Hartford, Conn	189	10½
Tiger, Newburyport, Mass	187	6½
Eagle, Lynn, Mass	185	7
Chauncey, Hyde Park, Mass...	184	5½
Boston Vet, Boston, Mass.....	178	9⅜
Torrent Manchester, N. H.	176	8
Water Witch, Pittsfield, Mass ..	176	4½
J. W. Plaisted Portland, Me.....	175	9½
Veteran, Chelsea, Mass.	173	11
Piscataqua, Portsmouth N. H...	169	5½
New London New London, Ct.	166	4½

Judges, Asst. Chief Wm. T. Cheswell, Boston; Chairman Chief F. B. Moody of Deering; Chief Frank Morse of Bath, Chief C. M. Drake of Gardner, Ex-Chief W. A. Green of Boston, Ex-Chief Edward A. Mott of Taunton. Official timekeeper, David T. Adamson of Boston.

Springfield took the prize for the best appearing company. Pittsfield received the trumpet offered by Mrs. James W. Plaisted to the company coming the greatest distance; in this case, 228 miles. Charlestown had the most men in line, and the consolaton prize given to the company making the shortest play, went to New London.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Spaulding and Mr. A. G. Walsh's family are in Bennington, N. H.

Mr. Myron Wightman, Miss Georgia Wightman and Miss Carrie B. True have gone to Canada for a few weeks.

Good rich blood is made by Maltox.

A VERMONT MAN

He Was Found in a Bath Tub Dead.

HAD ENDED HIS LIFE IN NEW YORK.

Whither He Had Gone With Friends.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

New York (Aug. 19.—Arnold Wyman, 72 years old of Brattleboro, Vt., was found dead today in the bath tub of a house at 676 Second avenue, having shot himself in the mouth. He was fully dressed. He had muffled the revolver, so that the shots were not heard.

Wyman and S. O. Miner of Brattleboro went to the Astor House yesterday morning and registered. They were not assigned to a room and went out. A few hours later Miner returned with Frank D. Moffatt, registered with him and was assigned to a room. The men then went to the police and asked that a general alarm be sent out for Wyman, who they said had been lost.

Wyman appears to have gone to 676 Second avenue, a furnished room house kept by George Smith. He had a list of such houses. He took a hall bedroom on the second floor at $2 a week, paying 50 cents on account and stating that he would pay the rest when his trunk came. He went out but returned an hour later with a bundle.

Mr. and Mrs. George Coutant, who occupy the room next to the bathroom found Wyman this morning dead in the bath tub. His right hand clutched a 32-calibre revolver, the muzzle covered with a handkerchief. The body was stiff, showing that the man had been dead some hours. No letters were left by the suicide. A bottle of chloroform labelled brandy was found in the room. In his clothing a gold watch and 35 cents were found.

FUNERALS.

O'LOUGHLIN—The funeral of Michael O'Loughlin, took place Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock from his late home, 6 Madison street, and was largely attended. Deceased was a very popular man who enjoyed the respect of all who knew him. Interment was in the Catholic cemetery. The beares were: Michael Monigan, John Moriarty, James McGann, John McMahon, Dennis Healey and Martin Slattery.

SOMERS—The funeral of Dora G. Somers took palce Thursday forenoon from the home of her parents 41 By street. Rev. Mr. Baker officiated. Interment was in the Edson cemetery.

FRYE—At the old Frye homestead on Central street, funeral services, beautiful in their simplicity, were held over the remains of Mrs. Abigail Frye, mother of the late Judge John F. Frye. Rev. Smith T. Ford officiated and the interment was in the Frye family lot in the Lowell cemetery. The bearers were relatives and intimate friends of the deceased.

A GREAT CLOTHING EVENT.

The assignees' sale of the stock of O'Hearn & Dowd which opens at 9 o'clock tomorrow promises to be the greatest bargain givng event in local trade history. Preparations are being made by the assignees through their manager, Mr. J. H. Rogers, to handle immense crowds.

Twenty extra salesmen are called for in their advertisement in this issue and the published price list in their advertisement promises a bargain carnival long to be remembered. It is to be hoped that Messrs. Ohlearn and Dowd may reach a satisfactory settlement.

SERIOUS CHARGE

Against Mr. Hallinan—Held in $1000.

THE FERRYS TRIED FOR BURGLARY.

The Hearing in Court This Morning.

P. J. Hallinan, a tailor who has been about town for some time, was arrested in the Bon Marche building last night on the charge of attempted rape. It is alleged that he hired a room for the night and enticed two young girls into it. He is said to have locked the door and then attempted to assault the younger girl. Her screams, however, attracted the attention of the occupants of the block and the police were notified. Capt. Kew, Lieut. Bresnan, and Officers Ryan and Maher soon arrived on the scene, entered the room, and took Hallinan to the station.

P. J. Hallinan, charged with rape, had his case continued until next Wednesday, he being ordered in the sum of $1000.

POLICE COURT.

The court room was crowded this morning, many being attracted by the celebrated case against Peter Ferry Sr., and Peter Ferry, Jr., for alleged breaking, entering and robbing the residences of Agent Pend of the Merrimack Mfg. company and A. A. Haggett. The father is also charged with receiving and disposing of stolen property. The testimony of both defendants clashed in relation to who committed the crime each accusing the other. A corps of witnesses testified against both. The father was held in $500 for his appearance at the superior court while the boy was continued until next Friday.

Only one drunk escaped unscathed. Three were fined $1. Catherine McNiff received four months to the common jail and Mary F. Gloss three months in the workhouse. Thomas Guthrie was found guilty of being a common drunkard and was sent to the state farm for a period of eight months.

John J. Barrett refused to support his wife and was fined $20.

Alfred Clark was fined $7.80 for assaulting William Sawyer.

GOLD HUNTERS COMING

By Associated Press to The Sun.

San Francisco, Aug. 19.—Three schooners with gold hunters are scheduled to arrive in this city from the east. Of these the Mildred E., now out 161 days from Boston, is the only one likely to get here. The Actasa party when last heard from, was stranded at Buenos Ayres and the Howell Sherman's crew was in the same predicament at Montevideo. The Actasa is 171 days out from New York, and the Sherman 268 days from Boston.

SHORT RATIONS

ON SOME OF THE GOLD SEEKING VESSELS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

San Francisco, Aug. 19.—Information from Kotzebue Sound states that the bark Alaska was at St. Lawrence Island, July 16. Patrick L. Noonan, a passenger on the J. L. Falkenburg, writes under date of June 26, that they had arrived safely and launched their boats. C. D. Lane, of the Utica Mine, who is one of the party, went ashore and examined the black sand on the beach which he said was an indication of gold further inland.

The revenue cutter Bear called on July 16 on her way north. The bark Mermaid, which was at anchor there, was reported short of food and it was said that Captain Wickes had left the vessel.

TWO ALARMS'

LIVELY FIRE THIS MORNING ON TYLER STREET.

An alarm from box 53 this forenoon at 10.30 o'clock summoned the fire department to quite a lively blaze in the double house, 26 and 28 Tyler street owned by Foreman Charles O. Ball of the Mall. It was caused by an oil stove in the ell of the building.

The blaze extended up through three stories and although quickly subdued by the firemen considerable damage was done by the smoke and water. Mr. Ball occupied one side of the building and a family named Lathrop the other.

While the fire laddies were at work on the Tyler street fire, an unnecessary alarm came in from box 21 at the corner of Kirk and Merrimack street. It seems that no one can tell what caused the alarm.

MONEY DEPOSITED
On or before Wednesday, Sept. 3, in the Savings Department of the TRADERS' NATIONAL BANK, will draw interest from Sept. 1st, at the rate of 4 per cent. per annum Compounded Semi-Annually.
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TRANSPORT ARRIVES.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, Aug. 19.—The United States transport Miami arrived this from Montauk Point. The Miami landed the rough riders, also General Wheeler and Col. Roosevelt fromSantiago at Montauk. She will be thoroughly disinfected at quarantine and released probably this evening.

CAPT. QUIGLEY DIED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

AUBURN, N. Y., Aug. 19.—Captain John A. Quigley, regimental adjutant of the Third New York Infantry, now in camp at Thoroughfare, Va., died at his home in this city this morning of typhoid fever contracted at Camp Alger.

Captain Quigley was born in New York city about 35 years ago. Three weeks ago he was brought home sick and death resulted today.

He leaves a wife and three children.

PEACE FELICITATIONS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

CITY OF MEXICO., Aug. ...—United States Minister Clayton has notified the foreign relations department of the conclusion of peace preliminaries with Spain and Minister Mariscall formally replied, congratulating the United States government that peace is now assured.

NO FURTHER CONCESSIONS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

YOKOHAMA, Aug. 19.—The Corean government referring to a German request for concessions, has notified the German consul at Seoul that it proposes to establish a railway bureau and to construct its own railways, and that therefore, no further concessions will be granted.

BARK STRANDED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LONDON, Aug. 19.—Later advices received from Montevideo, say that the report of the British bark, John Gill, Captain McKenzie from Boston, having stranded on the rocks during a hurricane when entering that port about August, 14, was not correct.

COL. LAWRENCE J. LOGAN of the Ninth Regiment.

LIEUT. LOGAN

APPOINTED COLONEL OF THE NINTH.

Lieut. Col. Lawrence J. Logan was last night appointed to the vacant colonelcy of the 9th Massachusetts volunteers by Gov. Wolcott.

Since the death of Col. Hogan, the position of colonel of this regiment has been sought by the friends of the several candidates, whose qualifications for the place have been persistently set before the governor.

He, however, was of the mind that the honor of leading the regiment had been justly earned by the lieutenant colonel, who had at the sacrifice of personal comfort and business interests led the regiment to the front and on when the care of it had fallen when the colonel was obliged to come home.

Gov. Wolcott signed the commission at the home of Col. Sohier in Beverly at 7.30 last evening and handed it to Senator James J. Gallivan, who has been one of the most active in pushing the claim that Lieut. Col. Logan should not be overlooked.

Mr. Gallivan lost no time in reaching the home of Col. Logan in South Boston and communicating to his family the fact of his advancement.

The news gave pleasure to all the friends of the sick officer but as he was sleeping when Senator Gallivan arrived the honor granted him by the governor was not communicated to him, but the commission was left with his son Edward, to be given to him this morning.

THE NINTH REGIMENT.

Santiago de Cuba, via Hayti, Aug. 18.—J. D. Moriarty Company E, Ninth Massachusetts regiment, died here today. He had a relapse of typhoid fever.

The regiment has drawn only one day's rations.

The men expect to go north before the end of the week.

There are 115 men on the sick list. The hospital ship Bay State has not yet arrived.

Senator Corbett has had the bodies of Majors Grady and O'Connor disinterred preparatory to taking them north.

—J. C. O'Leary.

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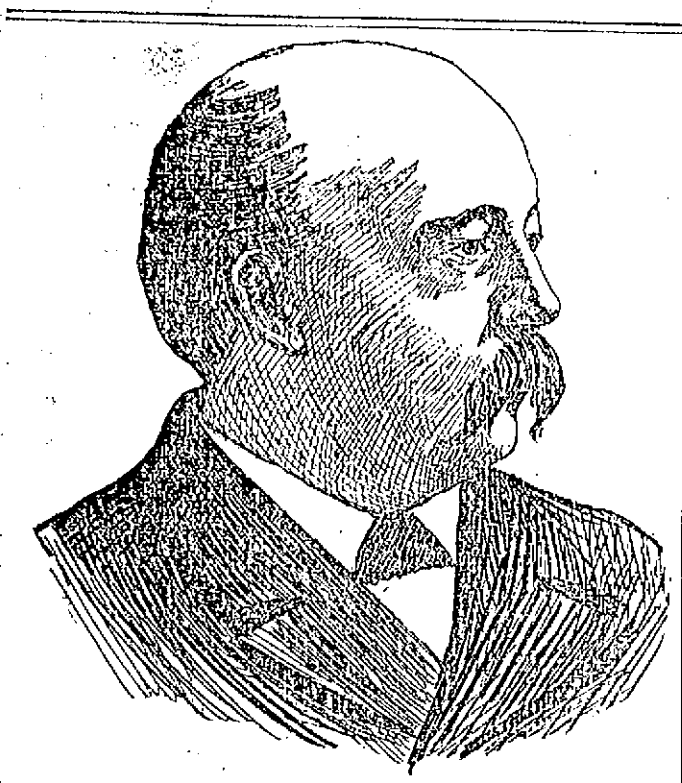

ELECTION DATES

Gathered From the Revised Election Laws.

TIME FOR HOLDING MEETINGS AND CONVENTIONS

In Towns and Cities of the State.

It will be of much help to the politicians who are perplexed over the many and complicated provisions of the revision of the election laws to paste in their hats the chronology of events to occur under that law, says the Boston correspondent of the Springfield Republican, as it is issued by the Republican State committee. The calendar was made by one who had a material share in framing the revision of the law, and so it is presumably correct in its fidelity to the spirit, as well as to the letter of the law. Registration in Boston began July 1 and will continue with various regulations until Oct. 19. The remainder of the calendar is as follows:

Sept. 27, 28.—On one of these two dates the republicans of every city and town must hold caucuses for choice of delegates to the state congressional, councillor, senatorial and county conventions and except as hereinafter provided for delegates to representative conventions and for nomination of candidates for the General Court.

Sept. 30.—Last day for appointing election officers in cities.

Oct. 1—Last day for assessment in Boston.

Oct. 4, 5.—On one of these two dates caucuses for choice of delegates to a representative district convention or for nomination of candidates for the General Court may be held.

Oct. 6, 10 a. m.—Republican state convention at Music hall, Boston. Registration opens in Boston in the several wards from 6 p. m. to 10 p. m.

Oct. 8.—Last day for registrars of voters in every city and town except Boston to post in each voting precinct preliminary alphabetical lists of voters. Last day for designating polling places.

Oct. 10.—Last day for holding conventions for nominating candidates to be voted for at large throughout the State, but certificates of nomination of dates must be filed at the office of the secretary of state by 5 p. m.*

Oct. 13.—Earliest day for holding representative conventions.

Oct. 15.—Last day for appointing election officer in towns.

Oct. 17.—nomination paper for candidates to be voted for at large throughout the state must be filed at the office of the secretary of state by 5 p.m.*

Oct. 18.—Last day for petitioning for the appointment of supervisors of elections.

Oct. 19.—Registration closes in Boston at 10 p. m. Last day for registration in all cities. Upon this day every registry of voters must be kept open from 12 o'clock noon (in Boston from 9 a. m.) until 10 p. m.

Oct. 20.—Last day for holding conventions for nominating candidates for state offices not voted for at large throughout the state, but certificates of such nominations must be filed at the office of the secretary of state by 5 p. m.*

Oct. 21.—Nomination paper of candidates not voted for at large throughout the state must be filed at the office of the secretary of state by 5 p. m.*

Oct. 25.—Last day for filing complaint against incorrect and illegal registration in cities.

Oct. 29.—Registration in towns closes at 10 p. m.

Nov. 1.—Last day for filling vacancies among election officers.

Nov. 4.—Last day for filing complaint against incorrect and illegal registration in towns.

Nov. 8.—State election.

*Objections to nominations must be made within the 72 hours after the last hour for filing nomination papers.

Miss Nellie Merrill of 432 Central street is in Charlestown, the guest of her aunt. From thence she will proceed to the White Mountains.

Hood's Pills

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BICYCLE NEWS.

At the professional races in Green Bay, Wis., Wednesday, Plugger Bill Martin made a great win in the mile open.

Three professional races were on the card, not one being run of the original four scheduled. "Plugger Bill" developed as a new star when he spread out an open length ahead of the good field in the mile open, pounding his 107 gear with all his power, which is not inconsiderable, and winning a fine contest.

"Plugger Bill's" win of the one mile open was probably one of the most remarkable efforts of the season. Martin rode with a 107 gear, the largest used in an open race in this country at the shortest distance.

In the final Martin gained the front at the turn and with his back wabbling up and down and every muscle of his body in play he came to the tape a winner and a full length to the good of Stevens, who was a shade ahead of Major Taylor, Bald, Freeman, Becker, Cooper and McFarland being left back in the bunch and all fighting. The time, 2m 10s, is evidence that the race was fast, for the track was exceedingly rough and the race was run 10 feet from the pole.

The National Track association packing team yesterday attached three tracks outside of Boston on account of back salary from the association. Some of the members are owed nearly $100 each and have taken this legal method of collecting their money, in which they hope to be backed up by the L. A. W. racing board.

The tracks attached have never paid in their assessments to the N. C. T. A., as agreed. Charles River Park, or rather the Massachusetts Athletic association has practically supported the team. Each man has a contract approved by the racing board, in which it is agreed that he shall be paid a certain amount each week, ranging from $7 to $15, according to ability. As Charles River Park's management has paid in really more than it owed the men, it will not be included in the list of attached tracks. Mr. L. H. Adams of Springfield is the treasurer.

This action on the part of the pacers will probably result in the closing of at least three tracks within a radius of 100 miles of New York, which are included in the attachments.

The N. C. T. A. pacemakers have been approached to "get up" for Edward Taylor, the French rider, in a race against Michael. Taylor has been using the allied Shafer and American association teams in his races heretofore, and as a race between him and Michael would be a hot one, sure to draw a crowd, the American association is thinking seriously of promoting it. One of the National pacers said yesterday: "If we ever do 'get up' for Taylor against Michael we will put it on to Jimmy for fair."

Arthur K. Peck, secretary and treasurer of the Massachusetts Division, L. A. W., started yesterday for Conaher, Mont., to tour through the famous Yellowstone Park on his bicycle. Mr. Peck will be accompanied by Mr. N. G. Hedfield of the County National bank New Haven, Conn. It is their purpose to combine, camping, mountain climbing and fishing with their cycling trip.

On Saturday, Sept. 10, at Hartsuff Cycle Park, Rockland, there will be a diamond race meet. There will be two amateur and one professional event. The one-mile amateur handicap will be for diamonds valued at $25, $35, and $15 and the two-mile amateur handicap race will be for diamonds of the same value. Three prizes will be given in the mile professional handicap, to be divided as follows: $10, $20, and $10. Kid St. Onge, the trick cyclist, will also give an exhibition.

Frank Waller, accompanied by Chas. G. Percival, left yesterday for Baltimore, where Waller has a 24-hour race on with Louis Gimm. Waller's pacemakers, to the number of sixteen, will go on later, under the management of W. F. Stafford.

Messrs. Knapp, Gray, Booth and Denny of the Tigers, who left in April on a transcontinental trip, have split. Gray and Denny are in Indian Territory and Knapp and Booth in Colorado.

MATRIMONIAL.

Mr. George F. Haskell, formerly of Lowell and Miss Laura Munroe of Concord Junction were married Thursday afternoon at the home of the bride, Rev. H. E. Hinckley of Lowell, a former room-mate of the bridegroom, officiated. Many useful presents were bestowed upon the young couple. After a short wedding trip they will be "at home" at Concord Junction, Sept. 1.

TO KEEP ORDER

The Government's Instructions to Merritt.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 18.—The war department today made public the order sent to General Merritt last evening regarding the occupation of the city of Manila by the American forces. The order follows:

Adjutant General's Office, Washington, Aug. 17.

To Major General Merritt, Manila, Philippines:

The president directs that there must be no joint occupation with the insurgents. The United States in the possession of Manila city, Manila bay and harbor, must preserve the peace and protect persons and property within the territory occupied by their military and naval forces. The insurgents and all others must recognize the military occupation and authority of the United States and the cessation of hostilities proclaimed by the president. Use whatever means in your judgment are necessary to this end.

All law abiding people must be treated alike.

By order of the secretary of war.

(Signed) H. C. CORBIN, Adjt. Gen.

The officials of the department hope there will be no trouble with the insurgent forces in the Philippines although the despatches which have been received and published in the press together with the demand of Aguinaldo for joint occupation has indicated a temper on the part of the insurgent leaders which is not satisfactory. The text of the president's order cannot be misunderstood and the insurgents will be kept out of Manila and the city, bay and harbor will be held as an American possession. The possibility of an attack on the city by the insurgent forces has been considered, but with the bay in the possession of Admiral Dewey and 10,000 American troops near the city, it is not believed that they will prove very formidable.

AUGUSTIN STARTS FOR SPAIN

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BERLIN Aug. 18.—A despatch from Hong Kong, dated August 18, and evidently official says:

The Kaiserin Augusta which left Manila with despatches from Admiral Von Diedrichs after the fall of the city will return there today. General Augustin and his family arrived on board the cruiser Admiral Von Diedrichs, at the request of General Augustin having given them passage by an arrangement with the American commander-in-chief. General Augustin has left Hong Kong en route for Spain.

CHIEF SURGEON'S REPORT.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTONg Aug. 18.—Surgeon General Sternberg received the following today:

Santiago de Cuba, Aug. 18.

To Surgeon-General, Washington:

Cantania left for Montauk; all bedding could be burned; cots might be saved; ships should be sent back for more patients of the same class. Yale arrived yesterday and supplies landed. Will cable what else I may need. No more doctors or nurses wanted.

(Signed) HAVARD Chief Surgeon.

GEN. MERRITT'S REPORT.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 18.—The war department has received the following:

To the Adjutant General, Washington:

On the seventh inst., Admiral Dewey joined me in a forty-eight hour notification to the Spanish commander to remove the non-combatants from the city. On the same date he sent a reply expressing thanks for the humane sentiments and stating that the Spanish are without places of refuge for the non-combatants now within the walled city. On the ninth inst., we sent a joint note inviting attention to the suffering in store for the sick and non-combatants in case it became our duty to reduce the defences, also setting forth the hopeless condition of the Spanish forces, surrounded on all sides, the fleet in front, with no prospects of reinforcements, and demanded surrender as due to every consideration of humanity; the same date we received a reply admitting their situation, but stating that the council of defence declared the request for surrender could not be granted, but offered to consult the government if time was granted necessary for communication. We sent a joint note in reply declining. On the thirteenth we joined with the navy in an attack with the following result: After about half an hour's accurate shelling of the Spanish lines, MacArthur's brigade, on the right, and Greene's on the left under Anderson, made a vigorous attack and carried the Spanish works. The loss is not accurately known, but is about fifty in all. The behavior of the troops was excellent; the co-operation of the navy most valuable. The troops advanced rapidly on the walled city, upon which the white flag was shown and the town capitulated. The troops occupy Malate, Bhondon, the walled city of San Miguel. All the important centres are protected. The insurgents kept out. There was no disorder or pillage.

(Signed) MERRITT.

STABBING AFFRAY

Carl Pethke Uses a Knife on a Minister.

WITH WHOM HE HAS HAD TROUBLE.

The Victim Well Known in Chicago.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Chicago, Aug. 8.—Rev. Samuel Brenkwell, a leader in business and religious circles in the suburb of Hickwell, was stabbed to death by Carl Pethke, a tailor. There had been trouble between the two men for over a year, the difficulty arising partly because Mrs. Brenkwell, who had left her husband, had gone to reside in the home of Pethke and partly over a suit which the minister had brought to eject Pethke and Mrs. Brenkwell from the house in which they were living, it being his property.

GRAND JURY.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Fitchburg, Aug. 18.—The report of the grand jury for the August term was made here this morning. The following are the most important cases reported:

D. Smith, Worcester, forgery on four counts, pleaded guilty, will be sentenced tomorrow.

John Patalia, manslaughter, pleaded not guilty.

Peter Janostka, Ferowsky of Worcester, manslaughter, pleaded not guilty.

Two young lads, R. A. Doherty and William Lyons, each 11 years old who are said to have run away from their homes in Somerville, were charged with placing obstructions on the track of the Fitchburg railroad on May 3. The lads pleaded not guilty but the court said they were too young to plead and he would take their case under advisement until tomorrow.

A DIVIDEND.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

New York, Aug. 18.—The directors of the National Lead company have declared a quarterly dividend of 1¾ per cent. on the preferred stock payable Sept. 15.

STEAMER BURNED

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Seneca Falls, N. Y., Aug. 18.—The steamer Iroquois, which has been running between Cayuga and Ithaca was burned at her dock in Cayuga this morning. She was owned by Mrs. Helen Hunt of Ithaca and cost $50,000.

WRENN LOST

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Newport, R. I., Aug. 18.—The first set in the Wrenn-Whitman match was won by Whitman quite easily, 6 to 2. In the second set, Whitman won the first four games, Wrenn winning the next and Whitman the next, making the score 5 to 1. In the next game Whitman won 3 points and Wrenn brought the score to deuce. Whitman's drives were too much for Wrenn and he lost the game and set, 6 to 1.

ANOTHER DEATH

The Second in the Family in a Day.

MAGGIE CARRIGAN DRANK WOOD ALCOHOL.

Her Grandmother Died Last Night.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Fairhaven, Vt., Aug. 18.—The second sudden death within 24 hours became known here this morning. Miss Maggie Carrigan 11 years of age, who had made her home with her grandmother for a number of years, died last Tuesday after an illness of about three hours. An autopsy showed that death resulted from trouble said to have been caused by drinking wood alcohol. This morning it was learned that the grandmother, Mrs. Edward McCann, aged sixty years, died late last night from symptoms similar to those shown by the girl Maggie. The authorities are making an investigation.

CUMMINGS APPOINTED

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Concord, N. H., Aug. 18.—At this morning's meeting of the governor and council, the governor, with the approbation of the council, appointed Councillor George W. Cummings a committee in behalf of the state to visit the First New Hampshire regiment and the hospitals in which sick New Hampshire soldiers are being cared for and to advise the state authorities as to what is needed to increase the comfort of the New Hampshire soldiers while in camp and also to take all necessary measures to send home the sick and convalescents.

Councillor Cummings will leave at once for Camp Thomas. He has also a commission from the New Hampshire State Soldiers' Aid society.

The appointments of Chief Justice Blodgett and Associate Justice Young were formally confirmed.

Judge N. P. Hunt of Manchester was appointed a member of the board of trustees of the State Industrial school.

SOLDIERS RECOVERING.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Fitchburg, Mass., Aug. 18.—Dr. A. O. Hitchcock and John T. Burke, the committee apointed by the local Volunteer Aid Relief association, to visit the various military camps in the south in the interests of the men in the Sixth Regiment U. S. Vols., arrived home this morning, having with them Wiliam E. Due, G. W. Proctor and H. M. Hofman of Company B. and M. L. Donahue of Company D, Sixth regiment.

These men were recovering from typhoid fever in Fortress Monroe and were able to come home.

The committee left C. W. Gunn, Company B, and E. O. King of Company D who were too ill to be moved.

DR. ZELLER DEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Berlin, Aug. 18.—The death of Dr. Zeller, the musical composer, is announced.

PROMINENT AUTHOR.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

London, Aug. 18.—Sir William Augustus Fraser, bart, the author and one of the queen's body guards for Scotland is dead.

ORDERED TO SANTIAGO.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Washington, Aug. 18.—The secretary of war has ordered the Fifth regular infantry now at Tampa to Santiago. They will sail tomorrow.

GEN. WHEELER

By Associated Press to The Sun.

New York, Aug. 17.—General Wheeler arrived here this morning from Washington on his way to Montauk Point, where he will relieve General Young of the command at Camp Wikoff.

STRUCK BY LIGHTNING.

Two valuable Conemaugh stallion colts, the property of Frank L. Ladd, the expressman of School street, were struck and killed by lightning at the farm in Dunstable, during the storm yesterday.

ELECTRICAL STORMS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Lancaster, Pa., Aug. 18.—A series of terrific electrical storms accompanied by high wind and heavy rains passed over this county last night, doing great damage. Hail in some sections cut and riddled the tobacco, most of which was almost ready to cut. Several barns were struck by lightning and burned.

REWARD OFFERED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Dover, Del., Aug. 18.—Governor Tunnell today offered a reward of $200 for the apprehension of the party or parties who sent the poisoned candy to Mrs. Dunning of Dover, as a result of which she and her sister, Mrs. J. D. Deane, lost their lives.

TRAIN DERAILED

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Worcester, Aug. 18.—The Boston & Maine train on the Worcester, Nashua & Rochester branch, leaving here at 8.01, was derailed this morning at Barber's crossing in this city. There was a considerable delay. No one was hurt, but one of the rails was thrust upward through the baggage car.

CENSORSHIP ABOLISHED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

New York, Aug. 18.—The Western Union Telegraph company's central cable office announces that the censorship on cable messages has been abolished.

CAPT. HOGARTH.

London, Aug. 18.—The "Yachtsman" confirms the report that Captain Hogarth now in command of the Scotch yacht Isolde, has been offered the command of the new yacht Shamrock, which Sir Thomas Lipton will build to contest for the Americas cup.

DR. CHAS. DONLAN

Has Been Recommended as One of the Surgeons

TO ACCOMPANY THE ARMY TO PORTO RICO.

The Appointment Carries Rank of Lieutenant.

Among the surgeons recommended by Dr. Bradford of the Volunteer Aid association at the request of Surgeon General Sternberg, U.S.A., to accompany the army of occupation to Porto Rico appears the name of Dr. Charles E. Donlan of Lowell. Dr. Donlan is a recent graduate of the Harvard Medical school. This appointment brings with it the rank of lieutenant.

The recommendation came very unexpectedly to Dr. Donlan and is a fine tribute to the young man's ability. Dr. Donlan was recommended in the first place by Dr. Gannett, the famous physician of Boston. Dr. Donlan resides on High street and one of his sisters is a teacher in the public schools. He is a brother-in-law of Thomas C. Lee.

LOWELL'S GAIN

AS SHOWN BY CHIEF WADLIN'S REPORT.

Horace J. Wadlin, chief of the Massachusetts bureau of labor statistics, in his bulletin for July, just issued, says of Lowell:

"Substantially the same conditions appear in this city as in Lawrence and other textile centres, no material improvement being noted since February, though in some mills making special lines of goods a slight increase is found in the number employed.

"In machines and machinery there is much depression, but rates of wages appear unchanged. One firm reports an increase of about three per cent. since February. Some of the concerns were running on three-quarter time. Establishments employing 14,820 for the week ending February 19, report 15,119 for the week ending May 21, the aggregate payroll rising from $95,-99* to $101,574. This is a gain of 4.24 per cent. in persons employed and of 5.81 per cent. in disbursement for wages."

GENERAL BUTLER VETS.

The Gen. Butler Veteran Firemen's association to the number of about 100, headed by the Lowell Cadet band of 25 pieces paraded over the following route last night previous to their departure at 11.45 p. m. for Portland, Me., where they are to take part in the New England's firemen's muster today.

From the room on Middlesex street to Thorndike, to Adams, to Cabot, to Merrimack, to Central, to Charles, to Gorham to Middlesex, to the depot.

Red fire was burned at several places along the route.

RICH STRIKE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Seattle, Washn., Aug. 18.—Three small steamers have arrived here from Alaska with 15 passengers bringing gold dust estimated at $100,000.

RECEIVER'S REPORT.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Indianapolis, Ind., Aug. 18.—Receiver Price of the Toledo, St. Louis and Kansas City road has filed a report covering the period of the receivership from May 22 1893 to July 31, 1898, and shows the receipts during that time to have been $17,125,810.85 and disbursements to have been $17,373,023.26

THE WEATHER.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Boston, Aug. 18.—For Boston and vicinity: Generally fair weather tonight; fair; cooler Friday; west to northwest winds.

THE IMMUNES.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

New Orleans, La., Aug. 18.—The steamer Berlin left last night for Santiago with Crane's colored immunes on board as well as some of Hood's white immunes which were left behind. Hoch's Texas regiment leaves this morning for Galveston.

PERSHING PROMOTED

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Washington, Aug. 18.—Lieut. John J. Pershing, Tenth Cavalry, has been promoted to be major of volunteers. Lieut. Pershing was highly commended in the report of General Wood for gallantry and courage at the battle of El Caney.

ARE YOU GOING TO THE FAIR?

The Rochester Fair boys are in town this week, dressed in the "Uncle Sam" uniform, distributing catalogues and fancy banners advertising the twenty-third annual fair of the Rochester Agricultural and Mechanical association, to be held at Cold Spring Park, Rochester, N. H., September 13, 14, 15, 16.

STORIES OF RELIEF.

Two Letters to Mrs. Pinkham.

Mrs. John Williams, Englishtown, N. J., writes:

"Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—I cannot begin to tell you how I suffered before taking your remedies. I was so weak that I could hardly walk across the floor without falling. I had womb trouble and such a bearing-down feeling; also suffered with my back and limbs, pain in womb, inflammation of the bladder, piles and indigestion. Before I had taken one bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I felt a great deal better, and after taking two and one-half bottles and half a box of your Liver Pills I was cured. If more would take your medicine they would not have to suffer so much."

Mrs. Joseph Peterson, 513 East St., Warren, Pa., writes:

"Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—I have suffered with womb trouble over fifteen years. I had inflammation, enlargement and displacement of the womb. I had the backache constantly, also headache, and was so dizzy. I had heart trouble, it seemed as though my heart was in my throat at times choking me. I could not walk around and I could not lie down, for then my heart would beat so fast I would feel as though I was smothering. I had to sit up in bed nights in order to breathe. I was so weak I could not do anything.

"I have now taken several bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and used three packages of Sanative Wash, and can say I am perfectly cured. I do not think I could have lived long if Mrs. Pinkham's medicine had not helped me."

THE CHICAGO CLUB

Won Its Case With Ex-Pitcher Gumbert.

RESERVE RULE SUSTAINED BY COURT.

Employers Can Unite For Mutual Protection.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Chicago, Ill., Aug. 18.—The decision rendered in the United States court at Pittsburg by Judge Buffington in the case of A. C. Gumbert vs. the Chicago League ball club in favor of the ball club says President James A. Hart to an Associated Press reporter, is the most important ruling ever made in which base ball figures. The case was a trial fairly and squarely of the legality of the reserve rule. A strong point raised by Mr. C. M. Sherman, the club's attorney, was that if a number of employes have the right to agree with each other not to work for a certain employer, a number of employers have the right to agree with each other not to employ certain persons; in other words, if it is legal for employes to strike it is equally as legal for employers to make agreements for mutual protection. This view was evidently taken by Judge Buffington.

MATRIMONIAL.

FITZPATRICK—RILEY.

Mr. John J. Fitzpatrick and Miss Emma Riley, both well known residents of Centralville, were united in marriage yesterday afternoon by Rev. Fr. William O'Brien at St. Michael's parochial residence. The bride was becomingly attired in white nun's veiling over white taffeta and carried bride's roses. She was attended by a sister of the groom, Miss Annie Fitzpatrick who wore white organdie over lemon colored taffeta. The best man was Thomas Fitzpatrick, brother of the groom and the maid of honor was little May Hindley, a pretty little miss of seven years. Immediately after the ceremony was performed, the contracting parties and attendants were driven to the home of the groom, 150 Lakeview avenue, where a wedding repast was served to close friends and relatives. Many beautiful and appropriate gifts to a young couple embarking into life as one, were received, among which are the following: French clock, parents of the groom; dinner set, Mrs. David Edwards; silver castor, Mrs. Nellie Rogers; toilet set, Annie Fitzpatrick; table linen, Thomas Lowe; spread, Mrs. Michael McGovern; sugar bowl, Charles H. Molloy; fancy rug, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Lear; water set, Philip and Gertrude Cinquars; vases and tidies, Mrs. James Reynolds; fancy ornaments, Alfred Finch; vases, Miss Nellie Desmond. After a brief reception Mr. and Mrs. Fitzpatrick left on a five weeks' wedding trip. While away they will visit a number of popular pleasure resorts.

PETITION FILED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Cleveland, Ohio, Aug. 18.—D. L. Rose, president of the Rose and Hills company filed a petition in the United states district court to be declared a voluntary bankrupt. The assets and liabilities are said to be about $50,000.

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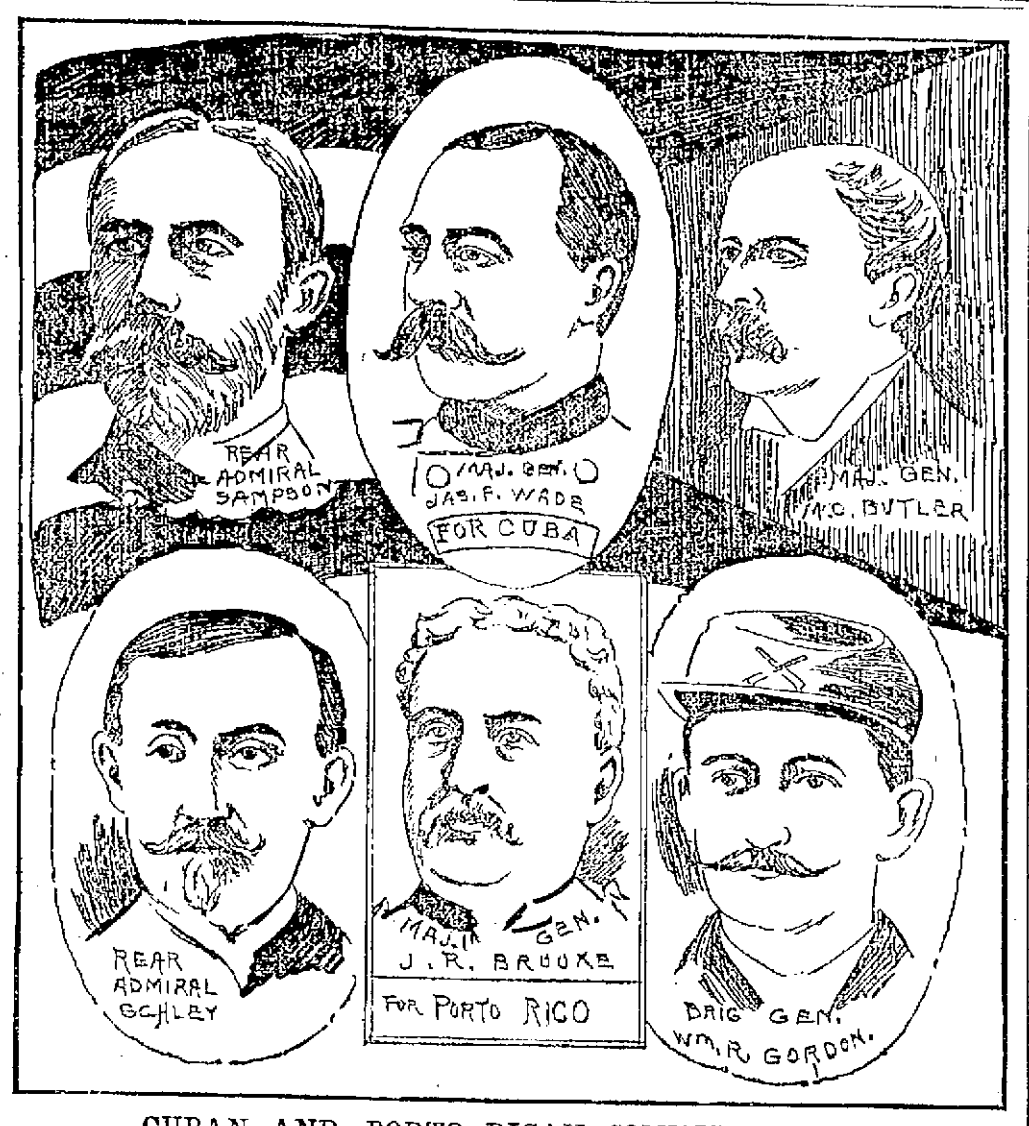

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ALDERMEN CUT UP PRANKS

Heated Discussion Characterized the Meeting Last Night.

Goward and Tuttle Try to Vote on a Motion That Was Defeated at the Previous Meeting—Members Refuse to Serve on a Conference Committee.

The aldermen got into a great mix-up last night, and the feeling that has ben engndrd as t rsult of the street railroad fight cropped out at times.

Charges and denials were indulged in and for a time excitement reigned. It all grew out of the attempt of Aldermen Goward and Tuttle to have their vote recorded on a motion presented at the last meeting and on which they refused to vote at the time.

When Alderman Rivet presented his motion to allow the street railway company to continue the work of paving Gorham street, both the aldermen mentioned refused to vote. Their action was criticised in the press and last night they sought the opportunity to go on record.

Mr. Goward spoke of his refusal to vote at the last meeting and of the criticism that had been directed at him as the result of his action. It seemed he said, that an alderman had no right to take under deliberation a matter of such grave importance.

"I obtained my desire, though in a roundabout way, and I request the clerk to record me as voting no on the resolution."

"I shall take the same ground," said Mr. Tuttle "and I ask to have my vote recorded in the negative."

Mr. Peirce and Gen. Dimon raised the point that this action was irregular and the former suggested that it might raise a question in litigation.

Mr. Goward defended his action as being sustained by precedent.

Mr. Peirce said that the records had never been tampered with before and could not now. The gentlemen had been sitting on the fence for two days and if the pickets protruded through their coat tails and they wished now to change their minds, he was willing to give them every opportunity, if it could be done legally.

Mr. Cosgrove said that the action was in order.

Mr. Libby said he had not absorbed as much parliamentary law as some of the other gentlemen, but if the chair ruled that the action was in order, then a vote might be recorded for a year back.

Alderman Dimon insisted the matter was settled at the last meeting and nothing further could be done.

"In defiance of the rules of the board these two gentlemen refused to have their votes recorded at the last meeting," said Mr. Peirce. "The whole thing now is a parliamentary tangle that may lead to litigation in which the city may be a loser."

"I shall decide that neither one has the right to change his vote," said the mayor.

"We don't ask to change our vote," said Mr. Goward.

"I should say, the right to vote," corrected the mayor. "This matter has been up for two months and these gentlemen asked for no further time."

"I asked for two days," said Mr. Goward.

"And it was voted down," replied the mayor.

Alderman Derby was then recognized and said:

"I remember that at the last meeting the gentleman after he tried to get action postponed until this evening, said that he was not going to have anyone force him to vote."

Said Mr. Rivet: "I didn't want to mention this, but one of these gentlemen who failed to vote pushed me on at the last meeting to make a test case of the railroad."

"I was the one who asked to have the matter brought up at he last meeting," said Mr. Derby.

"If the gentleman referred to me," said Mr. Goward, "he is mistaken. I asked him not to put it in that light."

"It is my impression that you did," replied Mr. Rivet.

"I ask the clerk to read the record of the last adjournment," said Gen. Dimon. "I ask the mayor if he did not inform me that the meeting could be held next Thursday week?"

"I did not," answered the mayor emphatically.

"I understood you to. I ask for the record."

Clerk Dadman read from a stenomatter brought up at the last meeting' The meeting had been adjourned to "Thursday next."

Gen. Dimon said that he had the satisfaction of knowing that the record was less abrupt and more polite than the mayor's answer to his question.

Mr. Cosgrove asked to have his motion of reconsideration brought up.

The city clerk read the resolution. The vote on the question of reconsideration was as follows: Yea, Cosgrove, Derby, Goward, Tuttle; nay, Dimon, Libby, Peirce, Rivet; absent, Holbrook.

Mr. Libby moved the appointment of a committe of two to confer with the Lowell & Suburban to see if the company would not finish the paving between the rails with some other material than that now being used.

The mayor asked him to submit it in writing.

While this was being done, Gen. Dimon asked whether there was not new business to come in from the sewer committee.

Mr. Goward introduced two resolutions for new sewers. He said that in view of the imperative necessity for the sewers, he would move that the customary seven days be dispensed with and that the resolutions be passed at once. The first resolution was for the protection of Hale's brook, as petitioned for by the board of health.

It was voted that the committee's report recommending the passage of the resolution be not referred to the city clerk's office. The resolution for the sewer in Howard and Tanner streets was then taken up. The damages for land taken were awarded at one cent for each of the several abutters.

The resolution received its second reading.

Gen. Dimon said that he understood that the sewer to abate the nuisance would cost $12,000.

The mayor replied that Supt. Cheney had given him an estimate of $15,000.

When the vote came on the final passage Mr. Derby said that he did not care to vote, since he did not understand the matter. "And I won't ask to have my vote recorded later," he said.

The resolution was given its final passage, 6 to 1, Mr. Peirce in the negative.

The brewery sewer was then taken up. The estimated cost was placed at $1800, of which $1000 was for land damages.

Mr. Peirce said that he should again vote in the negative, because he believed that the action of the meeting was irregular.

He said that outside of the irregularity of action, he favored the construction of both sewers.

Then Mr. Libby's motion for a conference committee was read.

Mr. Derby said that to say that he was astonished and surprised at the motion was putting it lightly. After voting away the rights of 35,000 people, and voting against themselves, he thought it a wonder that the motion was offered. He believed that there was a right and a wrong to the question, and that the public believed that the city had taken the wrong end from the start. He would not cry baby, he said, but take his medicine and let the city pay for it, if he was the member.

Mr. Cosgrove said that he had never seen such a case of crawfish as displayed in the meeting.

He told of an executive meeting of the aldermen, at which eight members had been present and had agreed to stand together against the street railway. There was an example of crawfish without precedent in the history of the city, he thought.

"I shall ask," he said in conclusion, "to have Dr. Holbrook's vote recorded on the question voted upon tonight."

'If they have all got through opening their little vials of wrath, I would like to say a word," said Mr. Libby in reply. He said that if the company was willing to lay block paving, it might be willing to lay some paving satisfactory to the "weeping" members of the board. He did not see where the crawfish came in.

"It gives some members an opportunity to talk to the gallery," he continued, "but that cuts no ice with me. I am not talking for political capital."

"May I ask a question?" asked Mr. Cosgrove.

"You may, but I am not here to answer conundrums," replied Mr. Libby.

Mr. Cosgrove wanted to know, in view of the vote of the board, what there was to confer about.

Mr. Libby pronounced the question a conundrum and declined to answer.

Mr. Cosgrove amended to make the committee of conference four members.

Motion amended and passed. Messrs. Libby, Derby, Cosgrove and Goward appointed.

Mr. Derby refused to serve. "I would be ashamed to serve," he said.

Mr. Cosgrove refused to serve. "Upon my soul," he said, "if I was Mr. Sullivan of the railroad I would refuse an interview."

"I would be tempted to kick the man down stairs," added Mr. Derby.

Mr. Goward refused to serve on the committee. Alderman Cosgrove's motion was ruled out of order.

It was voted to pave a small portion of Jackson street. There was some discussion on the resolution to pave a portion of Westford street with smooth paving. The resolution was passed unanimously. The paving is to be from curb to rail betwen Smith and School streets.

Mr. Derby introduced an order for the paving of Aiken street with concrete, similar to that used by the street railway instead of smooth paving not specified.

Mr. Peirce in behalf of the people living on the street and passing through it, protested against concrete.

Mr. Derby's order for concrete was put and declared lost but doubted. On a yea and nay vote, the order was passed, 6 to 2, Messrs. Libby and Peirce in the negative.

COMMON COUNCIL.

The common council held a special session last evening, Councilman Garvey in the chair and Councilman Murkland acting as clerk.

A joint resolution for the refunding of $5 in license fees to the following named persons who had paid in sums for fees for swill licenses, was passed. Sybil Richardson, O. Merrill, John F. Farr, N. A. Glidden Fred N. Haskell, C. A. Hamblett O. J. Coburn, G. P. Dadman, James Bowers and C. H. Denison.

The joint resolution for the borrowing and appropriating of $10,000 for the construction of sewers came up.

Councilman Wiggin wanted to know how much money there is in the treasury.

Before any person present undertook to answer, Councilman Bana moved that the resolution be laid on the table, as there wasn't enough members to pass it legally.

The motion was lost and before any further action was taken, Councilman McCluskey moved that a recess be taken and it was so voted.

The recess ended at 9 o'clock.

A communication from the president and treasurer of the Tremont Bicycle club with reference to the poor condition of the crosswalks on Moody street, was read and referred to the joint committee on sewers.

The sewer resolution then came up for final passage.

Councilman Wilder thought the sewer committee must be incompetent, inasmuch as it had an appropriation of $90,000 the first of the year, and knew it couldn't get any more. "It has gone across private land at great expense," he said, "and if it had more money, it would be incompetent to spend it."

Councilmen Markham, McCluskey and Garvey spoke strongly in favor of going on with the sewer work.

Before any action was taken, the meeting adjourned until this evening.

TROOP F. CAVALRY

GENERAL ORDER FOR ANNUAL TOUR OF DUTY.

Troop F, Cavalry of North Chelmsford is to have its annual tour of duty and field day as set forth in the following order:

GENERAL ORDERS NO. 1.

1. In compliance with special orders No. 85, A. G. O., dated July 29th, 1898, this Troop will perform its annual tour of duty and field day at the State Camp grounds South Framingham, in connection with the First Battalion of Cavalry, Aug. 27th to Sept 3rd inclusive.

2. The members will assemble at their respective armories at 4 o'clock a. m., Aug. 27th, receive their equipment and be prepared to make the journey to camp in the saddle. Detachments 2 and 3 will await the arrival of Detachment 1. Detachment 4 will connect with the Troop before its arrival at Concord, about 7.30 a. m.

3. Dress and armament for the march will be campaign hat, blue woolen shirt, black string tie ,trousers, boots or leggins spurs carbine and sabre. Overcoats will be rolled and strapped to cantel of saddle. Blouses will be carried in baggage wagon. Fatigue caps will not be taken. Officers and noncommissioned officers will wear guantlet gloves.

4. Enlisted men will be required to do their own stable work and will provide themselves with curry combs and brushes. The Q. M. Sergt. will provide stable tools. U. S. haversacks and mess kits will be issued and the latter will be used instead of crockery throughout this tour of duty. No intoxicating liquors will be allowed in camp. Competent cooks will be engaged but no waiters will be employed.

5. Members will provide themselves with a good, sound horse, of good size and in good condition, as all horses will be inspected and those unfit for service will be rejected.

6. Tent parties should be made up before going to camp. Two of the Troop's camp chests will be allowed in each tent. Members wil have their bedding and extra clothing packed in camp chests at their respective armories Monday night, August 22d, ready for shipment.

7. First Sergeant Edward H. Keyes will assign quarters for men and horses.

8. Passes or invitations will not be issued, but visitors will be admitted when vouched for by some commissioned officer.

—Elisha H. Shaw, Capt.

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Mr. Mark Walsh, of Southwick Building, 90 Prescott street, says: "I fell from the third floor with an elevator on which was a safe. I was taken to the hospital with some broken ribs, recovered, and returned to my employment. Kidney trouble developed, a bad backache, followed by painful urination and a tendency to gravel. If sitting, it was next to impossible to rise so great and acute were the pains. I felt that I should put myself under the doctors, but before doing so, I read about Doan's Kidney Pills, and what they were doing in Lowell and sent to Ellingwood & Co.'s, Merrimack and Central streets, and got a box. I took them as directed, and was helped at once. I now have no trouble of any kind, my back is all right, and the urinary difficulty is entirely corrected, and it was Doan's Kidney Pills that did it. I am recommending them highly and you may send anyone to me and I will tell them my experience. If they helped me, they will help them."

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USED A CATAMARAN.

New York, Aug. 19.—The members of the racing committee of the Seawanhaka-Corinthian Yacht club and the other devotees of the sport who journeyed to Montreal and witnessed the unsuccessful attempts of Clinton H. Crane and his confreres to win back the challenge cup, held by the Royal St. Lawrence Yacht club, came back to the city Thursday. There is a great feeling of dissatisfaction because representatives of the Canadian club insisted upon taking advantage of the literal phrasing of the challenge and defending the cup with a catamaran.

Charles W. Wetmore, one of the members of the race committee that selected the Seawanhaka, said: "We consider it an unfair test of the relative merits of the two designers that a catamaran was selected and we were compelled to race against such a type of boat. Catamarans have always been a class by themselves, and as such the members of the Seawanhaka-Corinthian club will always regard them. The Royal St. Lawrence club has defeated our boat, but few yachtsmen will consider the victory as other than gained by a clever evasion of the spirit of the challenge, and one which will go far toward injuring the future of the sport which we are all attached to."

OUTRAGE BY WHITECAPS.

Parkersburg, W. Va., Aug. 19.—About 250 or 350 men disguised as "whitecaps" visited the house of Susie Colston, North Smithfield, Wetzell county, and dragged the inmates, six women and three men, out of bed. No time was given them to get their clothes, money or valuables. The house was then blown to pieces with three sticks of dynamite. The inmates were tarred and feathered, and then taken to the Shuman House and all locked in a room together till daylight. No effort was made to discover who did the act, and the popular sentiment is that nothing wrong was done.

CURTAILMENT IN FALL RIVER.

Fall River, Aug. 19. — Secretary Rounseville of the executive committee of the Manufacturers' association says that nothing had yet been decided concerning the latest curtailment. Work is going on in the direction of obtaining signatures, but it seems to be agreed among many treasurers that the required 1,500,000 spindles will not be secured. It is believed, however, that some form of curtailment will begin next week, or the week following.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

The residence of E. E. Smith of Cranston, R. I., together with all the furniture, was destroyed by fire, entailing a loss of $6000. The fire was caused by the overturning of a lamp.

John Puttala, who fractured the skull of John Rinki during a drunken row in Fitchburg four weeks ago, was given two years in the house of correction for manslaughter by the superior court justice.

Cooney Hitchu was killed and several others were injured in a trolley car wreck near Newcastle, Pa. As a trolley was rounding a curve it jumped the track in front of a train. Hitchu was horribly crushed.

AN UNPROVOKED KILLING.

Newport News, Aug. 19. — Private Alonzo Andrews of company I, One Hundred and Sixtieth Indiana regiment, was shot and killed, and Private Jacob Altmiere of the same company was wounded in the foot by a negro named Hall. Both of the men formerly lived at Elwood, Ind. The shooting seems to have been unprovoked. Hall was in a buggy when it occurred, and his horse was on a gallop. He rose and fired out of the back of the vehicle. The negro was arrested and jailed, but the feeling against him was so intense that the sheriff took him out of the town for safekeeping. Bloodfield is under martial law.

MARION S. WON.

INTERESTING RACE ON THE FAIR GROUNDS.

An exciting horse trotting race between "Marion S," owned by O. H. Stafford, and Sinia Gauthier's "Black Prince," was attended by about 200 friends of the owners of the animals.

It was the best three heats in five, and Marion S. won in three straight heats. Time, 2.37, 2.37 and 2.36. A purse of $100 went to the winner. In the first heats, Marion S. won from her opponent easily. In the third she fell and but for the presence of mind of "Doc" Evans, who was driving her, a serious accident might have occurred. Another race of less importance was held as a side issue.

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Pints, 89c. per doz; quarts, $1.19 per doz.; 2 quarts, $1.39 per doz.

JELLY TUMBLERS.

1-3 pint size, 19c. per doz.; 1-2 pin size, 23c. per doz.

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2 quart Kettles, 13c.; 3 quart Kettles, 17c.; 4 quart Kettles, 19c.; 6 quart Kettles, 27c.; 8 quart Kettles, 29c.; 10 quart Kettles, 39c.; 12 quart Kettles, 49c., 14 quart Kettles, 59c

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SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL.

The Daughters of America held their regular meeting in Old Odd Fellows hall Thursday evening. Councillor Ella M. Sawyer presided. Only the routine business of the hour was transacted.

Lowell lodge K. of P. held its regular meeting last night. The chancellor commander was in the chair. Only routine business was transacted.

Bay State Colony U.O.P.F. held a special meeting last night. The meeting was called to see whether the colony would hold weekly meetings or only twice a month. It was voted to hold meetings every second and fourth Thursdays in the month.

Wannalancit Encampment I.O.O.F held its regular meeting in Odd Fellows Temple last evening. The committees appointed to arrange for attending to the celebration in Boston were to make their reports. Owing to the stormy weather only a small attendance was present; therefore no action was taken.

Lowell Council Royal Arcanum held its regular meeting last evening with a small attendance. One initiation was recorded and the regular business of the council was transacted.

Veritas lodge, I.O.O.F., held its regular meeting last night and voted to take action with the other encampments relative to the fair to be held the first week in December. It was also voted to entertain members with refreshments at the next meeting one week from Thursday next.

BOWLING NEWS.

Notwithstanding the condition of the weather, the Pastimes and Pawtuckets played the ninth game of the tournament at Lakeview last night. Low scores characterized the game, no one reaching 500. Knapp of the losing team rolled the highest score. John Mellen was out of his usual form. The score:

PAWTUCKETS.			
Knapp	145	164	165— 474
Patten	151	129	157— 437
Kilby	130	125	152— 407
Sawyer	155	138	124— 417
Clogston	143	119	143— 405
Totals	726	675	741—2142

PASTIMES.			
Mellen	164	129	142— 435
Mower	143	169	151— 444
Simmons	162	154	138— 544
Lyons	151	154	159— 464
Sheehy	120	165	144— 429
Totals	730	762	734—2226

Fairmounts and Lakeviews are booked for tonight.

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MULE SPINNERS.

At a meeting of the Mule Spinners union, to be held this evening, a marshal and two aids, for the Labor day parade, will be elected.

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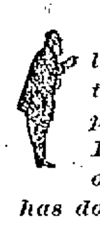

The Sun has a larger circulation than any two papers printed in Lowell, morning or evening. It has double the circulation of all the other evening papers in Lowell combined.

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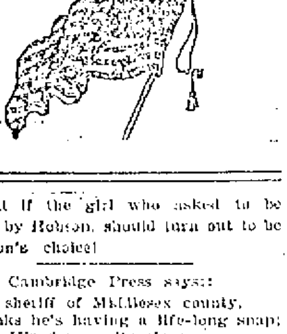

What if the girl who asked to be kissed by Hobson, should turn out to be Hobson's choice!

The Cambridge Press says:
The sheriff of Middlesex county,
Thinks he's having a life-long snap;
His deps gaily sing:
"We are all in the ring
And we're pulling away at the pap."

The chief regrets of the war are that Weyler was beyond the reach of our guns, that our soldiers starved while the rations rotted in store, that our splendid army was harassed by the mismanagement of Alger.

Presidents McKinley and Faure can now converse across the Atlantic at pleasure since the White House can easily be connected with the president's castle in Paris by cable. Every day adds fresh proofs of the federation of the world by means of electricity.

Boston's tax rate is $13.00, the highest since 1884, when the tax rate reached the enormous figure of $17. That is one dollar less than the tax rate of Lowell. Verily, it is becoming an expensive privilege to reside in Lowell during a business administration.

ALGER'S COMMISSARY.

The fact that the rations for the Second Massachusetts regiment shipped on the Vigilancia have been returned under a cargo of hay in the hold of the vessel shows some of the foul management of the war department. The Second Massachusetts regiment lost more men than any other in the service in the fight before Santiago, although it had to go begging for rations, inasmuch as the supplies shipped specially for itself were buried in the hold of a ship under many tons of hay. In a similar way, whole trains of provisions were at hand but buried under something else and cargoes of ice melted in the harbor—all this took place while the soldiers were almost starved, while the wounded and fatigued gasped for water. This is but a specimen of Alger's management of the army.

THE SIXTH REGIMENT.

Col. Woodward is making bad worse by his profuse explanations. At one time it appears that General Garretson had a grudge against him, at another that some of his subordinates were opposed to him, and again because he was too considerate with his men. It is easy to read between the lines that Woodward was of little use on the battlefield and that the service was improved by his resignation. He is not a military man in the proper sense. When the turmoil and the hardships of actual war are to be endured, Col. Woodward could not be reckoned upon. He claims that it was sympathy for his regiment that caused him to be censured, but his regiment is all right and was all right under Woodward if properly directed. General Miles knows good soldiers when he sees them and he holds the Sixth Regiment in high estimation.

SEND THEM BOUQUETS.

The request of Aldermen Goward and Tuttle to vote upon a motion that had been decided at the previous meeting of the board was one of the most silly, absurd and ridiculous that could be imagined. As well might a man wishing to go to Boston today request that he be privileged to go on one of last week's trains. Alderman Goward posed as the parliamentarian of the republican side while the democrats were showing their knowledge of parliamentary law to their own advantage some time ago, but his break of last night was the greatest travesty upon correct parliamentary practice ever witnessed in city hall. Both aldermen should be presented with a good, solid bouquet of cabbage heads by their constituents.

Col. Logan is to succeed the late Col. Bogan. Only a change of a letter in the names, but the soldiers of the Ninth will not forget their gallant colonel who became a victim to the privations of the service at Santiago.

Will Mayor Bennett hang up the $10,000 for Huntington hall and also the $10,000 for sewers until close upon election time and then favor both to be distributed as election bonuses in lieu of votes?

It is about time the belligerent forces at city hall should get together and agree upon a protocol that would suspend hostilities upon the Huntington hall matter.

CRISP GOSSIP.

Under a heading which reads "Short Stories," the Lawrence Tribune says: "One case each of typhoid fever and measles were reported at the Board of Health office this morning." One who has had experience with the former disease would say that it is none too short.

A serious handicap that the firemen encounter while answering alarms is the flying dust caused by the large number of people who cross the roads while attending the fire. On the day of the three fires, in rapid succession, Rock street resembled a desert with a simoon in progress.

It is estimated that 2500 men, women and children were at the railroad station Wednesday in Portsmouth, N. H., to witness the arrival of Assistant Naval Contractor Hobson and to give the hero of Santiago a grand ovation. In this they were disappointed, for although it had been officially chronicled that Lieutenant Hobson would arrive from New York and be escorted to the navy yard, where before a selected board he would be examined for promotion, he did not put in appearance. Although it had been wired ahead that Hobson was not on board, the crowd which had gathered would not leave until the train, which was forty minutes late, had pulled in and out of the station.

When the train stopped, a man who looked like Hobson alighted and as soon as the eyes of the crowd had picked him out as the man of all men, the cries of "There he is! There he is!" arose from the vast multitude. This person looked in wonderment at the crowd, which pushed forward from all directions to hail him. The mistake was soon understood.

Again Wednesday there was no session of the police court. This is the second day in one week when the judge was not needed to deal out justice to any petty law breakers.—Manchester Union.

Though days may come and go, the Lowell police court session goes on forever.

WRITTEN IN FRENCH.

A friend in this city has received a letter from B. D. O'Connell, Esq. It is written in French and Mr. O'Connell's friend was quite surprised as he exhibited a grand knowledge of the language. Mr. O'Connell is now reading the works of noted French writers.

WILL SUE ROAD.

Motorman Rolley, who has been discharged by the L. L. & H. road, is going to sue the road for heavy damages for injuries received in the collision near Belle Grove. Yesterday afternoon he engaged DeCourcy and Coulson as his attorneys. It is expected that a hot legal fight will be waged.

K. OF C. FIELD DAY.

Lexington Council, K. of C. held their field day at Willow Dale, Thursday, and in the afternoon the Lowell council, K. of C., engaged them in a game of ball at Mountain Rock, which resulted in a victory for the Lowell team. Score, 8 to 3.

The ball games between these two councils is an annual affair and considerable interest is manifested on both sides. The game is generally a lively one and Thursday's game was not an exception.

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WORSHIP OF MONEY.

POWER OF SATAN OVER THE WORLD SHOWN IN LEGALIZED IDOLATRY.

Per Cent the Sacrifice Laid Upon the Altar of Our Mammon God — The Poor Have Been Plundered and Murdered by Civil Government.

Rev. D. Oglesby preached at a camp meeting that was being held at Sparta, Ills. He prefaced his sermon with these words:

I am 72 years old. In all these long years I have never asked the privilege of preaching at a camp meeting, quarterly meeting, district conference or any other special gathering until this time, although I have been a member of the southern Illinois conference 44 years. I said to the elder, I want to go to the district conference in Sparta if I live and keep my health, and I would like to preach there, inasmuch as that was the last charge I received from a bishop. I scarcely ever make apologies, but I thought it due to the elder and committee, for if the congregation are disappointed in their selecting an old superannuated back number to preach when they had so many modern up to date divines to select from they must blame me and not the committee. Nevertheless I shall try to preach as if we were in sight of the judgment, for I am sure that it will be my funeral to most of you and yours to me.

Following is the concluding portion of the sermon:

Seeing the reward is so indescribably great, why is it so hard to persuade men to worship God? Why is it that Christianity has made such slow progress in the world?

"Oh," you will say to me, "you are an old fogy. You are a pessimist. The church has gone off and left you. Christianity is taking the world."

Come, my optimistic brother, let us look facts square in the face. I don't believe that truth ever did any injury in our world. Come, let us lock arms and take a walk and survey the field (the field is the world) and see what has been accomplished and what is to do yet.

There are 1,400,000,000 people in the world and only 200,000,000 nominal Christians, and in order to make up the 200,000,000 nominal Christians we have to count all—men, women and children, the ones in the penitentiary and out, the inmates of brothels, saloons and gambling dens—all. Now, when we fan out the chaff to find the wheat it is an exceedingly liberal estimate to allow that there are 50,000,000 Christians in the world today.

Here we are at the sunset of the nineteenth century and only one in 28 or 30 of the human race made Christians.

What do you think of the outlook?

General Miles was sent by the president last year to inspect the armaments or military forces of Europe. When he returned, he said, "The millennium must be a long way off when swords will be made into plowshares and spears into pruning hooks, for all Europe is preparing for war as never before, building larger warships and more of them, raising larger armies, spending more money for war purposes than in any previous age."

All this preparation for war by so called Christian nations? What does it mean?

We have not been preaching war, have we? That it is right to butcher and murder each other? This doesn't look like peace on earth and good will to men, does it? Have we not good reason to cry out, "Lord, who hath believed our report and to whom hath the arm of the Lord been revealed?" It looks more like the arm of the devil was being revealed, doesn't it?

Surely there must be some obstruction across the track of Christianity! Surely the stream of salvation is dammed up. Some great obstacle has prevented mankind from worshiping God!

Now let us take the crowbar of truth and the pick and shovel of investigation and dig down and see what is the obstruction.

And before we begin this investigation I want to make a little digression.

There is a universal and strong prejudice against preaching politics. If a preacher says politics in the pulpit, he is ostracised and makes "himself of no reputation" in the church and out of it. It is a senseless, unscriptural, wicked prejudice, because politics is the science of civil government, and civil government is an ordinance of God, just as much so as the church is.

Of course preachers should not preach party politics at all, but it is as much the duty of the preacher to preach against sin in civil government as anywhere else, for his Master has placed him a sentinel on the walls of Zion and commanded him to "lift up his voice like a trumpet and show the people their sins."

I have made this digression because we will find the great obstacle to the spread of Christianity or the worship of God is and always has been the attitude of the civil governments of earth. Ever since old satan inaugurated the first rebellion on earth it has been his constant business to keep men from worshiping God. For this purpose he is "walking to and fro in the earth and going up and down in it."

He knew that if he could get sin incorporated into civil law he would score a great victory, because he knew that the great majority of mankind would never have any higher standard of morals than civil law. Then he knew that men would be law abiding, and if the law was bad his end was gained.

The next step was to get control of civil government. Then he could put all the sin into law that he wanted to. He made haste to do that. He took Christ up on a mountain and showed him all the kingdoms (governments) of the world, and said, "all these will I give thee if thou wilt fall down and worship me." He meant, these are mine. Big liar as old satan is, he sometimes tells the truth. He owned the governments of the world then, and does yet, as we will find as we proceed in this investigation. Having got control of the governments of the world, of course he would use them to prevent men from worshiping God. The surest way to do this was to legalize idolatry. He knew that mankind would worship something—it was in his nature to worship. Satan didn't care what he worshiped so he didn't worship God. He might worship the sun, moon or heavenly host, or the river Ganges or Nile or he might whittle a god out of wood or chisel one out of stone; no matter so he didn't worship God, but he must not worship God on pain of death. Here we find the obstacle for which we are searching. It is the perversion of civil government.

Every martyr of the 50,000,000 who sealed their testimony with their blood was sentenced to death, to the stake or dungeon or to be devoured by wild beasts, by the same civil government and law that protected idolatry.

But you may have been thinking that idolatry is confined to heathen countries. You think perhaps that our country is a Christian country and our laws are Christian laws and that we have no system of idolatry. We will see.

We license the liquor traffic that costs $1,000,000,000 a year, and sends multitudes to drunkards' graves, that crushes the hearts of mothers and blights the lives of children, that is the prolific source of three-fourths of the crimes committed in our country. Does that look like we were a Christian government?

Then, worse than that, our system of commerce is a huge system of idolatry, as is the case all over our boasted Christian civilization. Here is the proof: The first law God gave to man was the law of labor. "In the sweat of thy face shalt thou eat bread." It is an important law. The existence of the human race depends on it. In the production of wealth this law is respected and honored. All wealth is produced by labor, and wageworkers receive wages.

But when we enter the domain of commerce God's law of labor is set aside and ignored. The one who buys and sells and carries on commerce takes no account of his labor, if he does any labor. He works for per cent.

The stockholders of this Central railroad may live in Europe, may never have seen the road, but charges for freights and fares are adjusted so as to bring in a per cent to divide among them. If the per cent fails, then the wages of all who labor on the road are reduced or the charges for freights and fares are increased, thus making the men who labor support and enrich the idlers.

It is the same in all lines of traffic. It permeates every avenue of commerce so completely that all business is a system of gambling, getting without giving an equivalent or robbery. Per cent on money does it all. The dollar is god. Per cent is the sacrifice laid on the altar of our Mammon god. This system of idolatry must and will be destroyed. It is the last form of idolatry that will exist on the earth. It has conquered and captured both church and governments and has such a hold on the world that its destruction will convulse society as never before. Civil governments are to be converted, taken out of old satan's hands, and Christ is to rule.

We have been taught by our great theologians that the millennium would be a state of society in which all would be saints. That state of society will come during the millennial period, but the millennium will come long before that. The millennium is wholly political.

When civil governments are made to harmonize with the divine government and civil law is made to conform exactly with divine law, then the millennium will be here, then Christ will reign. Men are generally law abiding now. When civil law is in harmony with divine law, to obey the law will be to obey God. Then "righteousness will cover the earth as the waters cover the sea," because all will obey the law of God. As it is now and ever has been, to obey civil law was to serve the devil. The greatest crimes on earth are legal crimes.

It will not be so when civil laws are just and righteous.

God is just. His justice has delayed its coming long, but it will come. Civil governments have been perverted and instead of protecting the poor they have been used to plunder and oppress them.

The poor have been robbed, plundered and murdered by civil governments and law through all the ages. God, the great Father above, made the earth for his earthly family to have homes, but through all the ages they have been robbed of homes by wicked laws. Great cities have been built by the money taken from the poor who toiled their lives out, homeless, hungry and destitute. If justice demands the destruction of the stolen wealth, if restitution will not be voluntarily made to God's poor, and there is no probability of that being done, then the just retribution coming, must be "a time of tribulation such as never was since the beginning of the world to this time, no, nor ever shall be" (Matthew xxiv, 21). This saying of Christ has been applied wholly to the destruction of Jerusalem. Jerusalem rejected Christ and suffered great tribulation. Jerusalem is a type of the world. The world has rejected him and is now practicing idolatry, and its time of tribulation is at the door. The great battle of Armageddon is now begun, and the end will introduce to our world the millennium state.

Municipal Railways In England.

Salford is to join the ranks of British towns operating their own street railway systems. At the meeting of the town council, March 3, it was unanimously voted that in 1901, when the present lease of the tracks to a corporation should expire, the city should operate the system.

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Notice to Abutters

Office of Supt. of Streets.

The City is about to macadamize Andover street, in consequence of which it is desirable that all persons who contemplate digging up the street for the purpose of making gas, sewer, electrical or water connections, do so at once, as it is important that such work be done before the street is repaired.

C. J. CHENEY,
Supt. of Streets.

Lowell, Aug. 13, 1898.

Notice to Abutters.

Office of Supt. of Streets.

The City is about to smooth pave Aiken street, in consequence of which it is desirable that all persons who contemplate digging up the street for the purpose of making gas, swer, electrical or water connections do so at once, as it is important that such work be done before the street is repaired.

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RIOTS AT PONCE

The Natives Avenging Spite on Spaniards.

Military Authorities to Punish Offenders — Confederate Money Passed by Dishonest Soldiers— One Sentenced to Five Years.

Ponce, Porto Rico, Aug. 19.—The natives show a disposition to persecute the Spanish residents, and several minor riots have occurred here. At Yauco the natives threw stones and bricks into Spanish shops, in retaliation for outrages committed within the Spanish lines. The military have been ordered to suppress these demonstrations and punish the offenders.

Ponce is flooded with Confederate money. When the first expedition sailed from Charleston some citizen who had had his cellar filled with Confederate money since the war distributed it among the soldiers as a curiosity. Much of this has been passed on the unsuspecting natives as genuine currency of the United States, and has been accepted by them as such. In many instances this has been done with a deliberate purpose to deceive and swindle, and one petty officer who was detected at it has been court-martialed and sentenced to five years in the penitentiary. He is now in jail in Ponce.

No one would be sorry if this deception had been practiced upon the business men of the city, who have been deliberately robbing everyone who went to them with any money to change. The actual value of Porto Rican money is just $2 for one American dollar, yet the Porto Rican merchants have been exchanging money at $1.75 Porto Rican for one American. An effort has been made to stop this at the custom house, where American money is exchanged at its true value.

TWO MEN KILLED

And Four Others Fatally Injured

BY COLLAPSE OF A CORNICE IN PHILADELPHIA.

It Was an Old Building Badly Constructed.

Philadelphia, Aug. 19.—Two men were instantly killed, four probably fatally injured and two others seriously injured by the collapse of the cornice on a new building. The dead are: Albert Green and Thomas Lyons. The fatally injured are: C. Schroder, fractured skull; Harry Evans, cut about the head and injured internally; Thomas Mundy, badly cut about the head and face; Frank McIntyre, fractured skull. The men who were killed were at work on the scaffold when the crash came. The heavy cornice carried them down, and the entire weight fell on the bricklayers who were at work on the pavement.

The accident is supposed to have been caused by the shortening of the purchase rods in the cornice supports. Schroder and Evans died after they had been taken to the hospital.

PUT IN A STRONGER BILL.

Westerly, R. I., Aug. 19.—Acting on the suggestion of Governor Dyer, Sheriff Cundall has transferred H. C. Schooley, who is charged with the death of Maria Flynn of Watch Hill last week, from the Washington county jail at Kingston to the state prison at Cranston. The move was made to prevent any possibility of escape by the prisoner.

The police now believe that the girl was murdered instead of meeting death at her own hands by drowning in trying to escape from the prisoner.

HOSMER WAS BEATEN.

Nantasket Beach, Mass., Aug. 19.—Ten Eyck easily defeated Hosmer in a three-mile single scull race for a purse of $300 yesterday afternoon. The course was parallel to the shore, so that many thousands of people were able to see the race, which was one of the chief events of the summer carnival at this place. Owing to the difficulty in setting the buoys, no time was taken.

DEADLOCK IN TEXAS.

Fort Worth, Tex., Aug. 19.—The Republican state convention, which has been in session three days, is again deadlocked. This time it is over the report of the committee on resolutions which has not been able to agree. There is still much difference of opinion as to the advisability of nominating a state ticket.

LIVERY STABLE BURNED.

East Bridgewater, Mass., Aug. 19.—Lightning struck in several places during a storm yesterday afternoon, but the only serious damage was done to the livery stable of F. L. Webber. All of the horses and carriages were saved, but a greater portion of the building, with 20 tons of hay, was consumed. The loss was $1000.

POST OFFICE.

OF LITTLETON N. H., ROBBED BY SAFE CRACKERS.

Littleton, N. H., Aug. 19.—The postoffice at Franconia was broken into early Thursday morning, an entrance being effected through an adjoining library building. The safe was blown open and $250 in money and a large quantity of stamps were taken.

AERONAUT INJURED.

Lynn, Aug. 19.—F. H. Cole, an aeronaut, when about to make an ascension at Nahant beach yesterday afternoon was blown forcibly against one of the swing posts and then hurled into the crowd of people. His spine was seriously injured.

BASE BALL.

Boston, Aug. 19.—The champions took another game from the Chicagoes yesterday in the easiest manner, none of the visitors getting across the home plate. The home team won the game in the first two innings by heavy batting. Both sides fielded brilliantly, but the Chicagoes were very weak at the bat. Score:

Bostons.	AB	R	1B	PO	A	E
Hamilton, c. f.	4	1	0	1	0	0
Tenney, 1 b.	4	1	1	3	1	0
Bergen, 1 b.	4	0	1	8	0	0
Long, s. s.	5	2	2	1	4	1
Duffy, l. f.	4	1	3	0	0	0
Collins, 3 b.	4	1	1	1	4	0
Stafford, r. f.	4	3	4	2	0	0
Yeager, c.	4	0	1	2	2	0
Lowe, 2 b.	4	1	3	7	4	0
Lewis, p.	3	0	1	2	2	0
Hickman, p.	1	0	1	0	0	0
Totals	38	10	18	27	17	1

Chicagoes.	AB	R	1B	PO	A	E
Green, c. f.	4	0	0	1	0	0
Everitt, 1 b.	3	0	0	12	1	0
Thornton, l. f.	2	0	0	1	0	0
Dahlen, s. s.	2	0	1	3	3	0
McCormick, 3 b.	3	0	0	0	6	0
Mertes, r. f.	1	0	0	0	0	0
Woods, p.	2	0	1	1	3	0
Connor, 2 b.	3	0	0	4	2	0
Donohue, c.	0	0	0	1	0	0
Chance, c.	3	0	0	0	0	0
Isbel, p.	3	0	0	1	1	0
Totals	26	0	2	24	16	0

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Earned runs—Bostons, 9. Two base hits—Lowe and Hickman. Three base hit — Tenney. Home run—Stafford. Stolen bases—Hamilton and Stafford. Double plays—Lowe, Long and Bergen; Lewis, Lowe and Bergen; McCormick and Everitt; Dahlen and Everitt. First base on balls—By Lewis, 1; by Hickman, 2; by Isbel, 1. Struck out—By Isbel, 1. Time — 1:25. Attendance—2500. Umpires—Gaffney and Brown.

Allrock of the Louisvilles lost his game with the orioles yesterday in the first inning. He steadied in the second. Nops was hit freely, but had fine support.

Catcher Kinslow has signed with the St. Louis club.

The senators won in the ninth on three singles, a base on balls and Tucker's error in yesterday's game with the St. Louis team.

Opportune hitting by the Phillies and loose fielding by the Pittsburgs enabled the Quakers to win, 3 to 4.

The New Yorks won a third time from the Cincinnatis. Damman lasted the first inning, five runs being made off him. Hawley succeeded him. Seymour pitched great ball. Score: 7 to 0.

After the Clevelands had won the first game yesterday from the New Yorks the second was started, but after two innings it was called on account of rain. No runs had been scored.

The Springfield team was whitewashed by Syracuse, being unable to hit Villiman at the proper time. It rained steadily during four innings in the middle of the game. Captain Hannon has been released.

The Providences opened the final home series with a victory over the Wilkes-Barres in a magnificent game yesterday. It was a pitching battle, and a little streak of clever hitting in the fifth inning won the game. Egan's curves and generalship were too much for the hard hitting barons, and they were shut out.

MAGUIRE FOR GOVERNOR.

Sacramento, Aug. 19.—The Democratic state convention on assembling yesterday received the report of the committee on fusion. It recited that the People's party and silver-Republicans were in accord with the program of fusion and would support the Democratic ticket if it should proceed along the lines mapped out. It urged the adoption of the fusion plan, and the matter was put to a vote without debate. Fusion carried by less than a dozen votes.

W. H. Alford, chairman of the central committee, then nominated Congressman James C. Maguire for governor in a brief speech, in which he said that industrial freedom was the one fight the Democracy had in view. Senator White seconded the nomination in an eulogistic speech, wherein he reviewed Mr. Maguire's record in congress on the railroad question. Mr. Maguire was nominated by a rising vote.

LOST A BARREL OF MONEY.

Buffalo, Aug. 19.—The boxes of H. M. Hanna and other Cleveland friends of the western man, Mattie Patterson, that nobody could tell how fast she could go, was short-lived yesterday, when Directum Kelly, a 4-year-old colt, took her measure in the $5000 queen city stake 2:16 trot. The Vilander mare had a heat in 2:14 to her credit before the rain on Wednesday, but Directum Kelly won a hard-fought heat in 2:09¾, following with two more heats in 2:10¾ and 2:10¾, the second being a beautiful drive by Kelly and a great burst of speed by the colt after a disastrous break, putting him many lengths back. The Cleveland party lost a barrel of money. The pool boxes held about $10,000 on the race.

BARNS BURNED AND CROPS LOST.

Middletown, N. Y., Aug. 19.—During a cyclonic storm in Orange county several barns containing the year's crops were struck by lightning and burned. At Montgomery the storm was the most severe. Houses were flattened, trees uprooted and property generally destroyed. The whole orchard on the Daniel Van Alst place was flattened, and a number of cattle was killed. The extensive barns of the state homeopathic hospital in this city were struck by lightning, but the fire was extinguished immediately.

LOST A PONTOON.

Halifax, Aug. 19.—The Argus of Boston, which left here Tuesday for New York with wrecking pontoons for Santiago in tow, has arrived at Shelburne, 100 miles west of Halifax, in distress, having encountered heavy gales Tuesday night and lost one pontoon in the storm. The steamer has landed a man at Shelburne sick or injured. The missing pontoon is adrift or sunk.

HIS NECK BROKEN.

South Norwalk, Conn., Aug. 19.—Frederick Bouton, aged 50, a painter, was almost instantly killed by the scaffold on which he was at work collapsing and letting him to the ground. His neck was broken.

TRIED TO SUICIDE

Dubois Made Several Attempts to Take His Life

WHILE LOCKED UP IN A CELL.

Was Prevented by Keeper Libby.

Tenis Dubois who was arrested last night for drunkenness and threatening his wife, made several attempts on his life while locked up in the police station. Noticing the peculiar actions of the man upon his arrival at the station, Keeper Libby decided to keep a watch on him. Dubois had not been in more than an hour when he took off his suspenders and tied them firmly about his throat. In the meantime the keeper was watching proceedings and being convinced that the crazed man really intended to end his life, he interfered just as the man was about to attempt to swing himself into eternity.

When he first arrived he was placed in a cell at the further end of the corridor from Keeper Libby's headquarters and he had arranged his necktie and was about to place it about his neck when the keeper transferred him to cell No 1, nearest to the stairs where a constant vigil could be kept over him. At first the prisoner acted all right For some time he kept very quiet and as this aroused Mr. Libby's suspicions, he walked over to the side of the grating and was startled at the sight before him. Dubois was arranging his suspenders about his neck and testing the strength of them. Mr. Libby took away from him everything with which he could injure himself.

This morning Dubois was held in $100 to keep the peace for six months and as he could not find security he will be compelled to serve that time in the common jail.

MATRIMONIAL.

REYNOLDS—LECLAIRE.

Mr. Henry Reynolds, the well known blacksmith and Miss Minnie Leclaire, were joined in wedlock at St. Peter's parochial residence at 8 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Rev. Fr. Mullen performed the ceremony. Miss Florence Leclaire, sister of the bride, was bridesmaid and Frank Campbell, an intimate friend of the contracting parties, was best man. A reception was held at the home of the bride, 9 Stevens street during the afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds have started on their honeymoon which will be spent in New York.

ADMIRAL DEWEY.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Philadelphia, Aug. 19.—The merchant steamer Admiral Dewey was launched here today.

The Admiral Dewey is the first of four merchant steamers building at Cramp's shipyard for the American Steamship Company. These four vessels will be named for distinguished admirals of the American navy and as stated, the first to be launched will be called the Admiral Dewey.

These ships are to be operated between Boston, New York and Philadelphia and Jamaica and may be regarded as the pioneer vessels of the post-bellum development of American commerce.

They will be operated by the Boston Fruit company and will furnish mail service to West Indian ports as far as Jamaica.

FIRST VERMONT.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Chickamauga National Park, Ga., Aug. 18.—The First Vermont regiment is expected to leave Chickamauga for Fort Ethan Allen, Vt., tomorrow. The sick of the regiment, 41 in all, are en route home on Pullman cars. Col. Minnie who has been sick, has so far recovered as to be able to resume command. The officers of the regiments think the plan of sending the sick home will save a number kof lives.

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Has been used for over fifty years by millions of mothers for their children while teething, with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for diarrhœa. Sold by druggists in every part of the world. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup," and take no other kind. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

Maltox makes the old feel young.

PROCLAMATION

Issued by General Merritt Today.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, Aug. 18.—A special from Manila, Aug. 14, via Hong Kong today, says:

General Merritt has prepared a proclamation to the natives which provides for a scheme of government for Manila and surrounding territory and other island places in our possession, the chief points of which are:

Rigid protection to all personal religion.

Municipal laws, tribunals, and local institutions for punishment of crime to remain until further notice, except where incompatible with military rule, subject to supervision of American government.

Provost marshal and sub provost to be appointed with power to arrest civil as well as military offenders.

Open trade for neutral nations.

Public property to be rigorously protected.

No interference with the people so long as they preserve peace.

General Merritt occupies the governor's palace.

ONE MURDER

And Many Fights in Santiago.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

SANTIAGO DE CUBA, Aug. 18.—(1.15 p. m.)—This morning General Wood, military governor of Santiago increased the local police force with additions from various regiments. There has been trouble from soldiers who have disobeyed orders and there have been thefts, several street fights, at least one murder and a good deal of drunkenness so that an exceptionally large force is needed to preserve order.

This morning the Eighth Illinois Volunteers (colored) entered upon patrol duty. The infantry leaves today by the Miller.

There are seven transports now in the harbor awaiting the embarkation of the Spanish troops, of whom more than two thousand will leave today. The general appearance is pitiful. There has been much sickness among them and within the last two days over two hundred bodies have been buried.

The death rate in the city is about seventy per day. The heavy rains increase the fever among the soldiers and the inhabitants alike.

MORE TROOPS FOR SANTIAGO.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 18.—Despatches of importance from General Merritt and Santiago were received and considered at the war department today It is understood that General Merritt's despatches were not of a disquieting nature, although the changes to be faced in the Philippines are giving the department considerable concern.

The conditions at Santiago are causing a great deal of uneasiness and it is believed that more troops will be ordered there. Already orders have been issued directing the Fifth regular infantry now at Tampa to proceed at once to Santiago. The government intends to take vigorous measures to preserve the peace and keep order in Santiago and the territory under the United States control.

As a further step in this direction, the president today directed that the 23rd Kansas regiment, colored, be despatched to Santiago to form part of the army of occupation of Cuba.

ARMY BEING RE-VACCINATED.

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PONCE, PORTO RICO, Aug. 17.—Noon.—Delayed in transmission.—The army is being revaccinated as there is a smallpox epidemic in some portions of the island. The auxiliary cruiser Prairie formerly El Sol, left today for Santiago to take troops to Montauk Point.

General Miles has postponed his visit to the front on account of the rains. The wet season has set in and there will be rains daily until the end of October.

ADMIRAL CERVERA

Will Not Leave for Spain Today.

WILL SEE OTHERS ON THEIR WAY

Before He Starts on the Journey.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Washington, Aug. 18.—Admiral Cervera will not return to Spain for the present and the report from Annapolis that he would leave today is incorrect. The admiral has made no application to leave and it is the belief that he will be the last of the Spanish prisoners to go home, as he appears to be desirous of seeing them on the way homeward before he leaves.

The navy department has not taken up the question of the final disposal of the Spanish prisoners, although it has passed upon one or two special cases in which the circumstances made speedy action advisable.

GENERAL HOLIDAY.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

New York, Aug. 18.—Mayor Van Wyck this afternoon issued a proclamation urging that all business be suspended on Saturday in honor of the occasion of the parade of battleships and other war vessels. He also urges that all public buildings and private residences in Greater New York and every vessel in the harbor shall be decked with flags and bunting.

TWO KILLED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Philadelphia, Aug. 18.—The cornice of a building in course of erection at 175 and 177 North 6th street fell today, carrying with it a scaffold upon which several men were at work. Two of the workmen were killed, one fatally injured and four others seriously hurt. The killed are Albert Green and Thomas Lyons.

OUR TROOPS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Boston, Aug. 18.—By direction of the governor, the adjutant general has instructed Surgeon General Ellod, to proceed immediately to Montauk Point to aid in all ways in his power, the arriving Massachusetts troops. Major Brown, Surgeon, Second regiment, goes with Surgeon-General Ellod. They left at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

MANSFIELD ARRESTED.

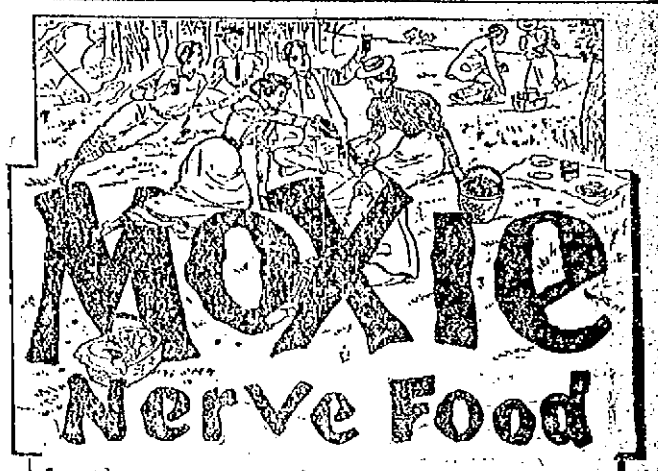
By Associated Press to The Sun.

Fall River, Aug. 18.—Private Mansfield, who escaped from Fort Adams late last night, was arrested here today after a desperate resistance. Mansfield enlisted at Boston. He is charged with robbing the mails at Fort Adams.

TRAMP IDENTIFIED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Taunton, Aug. 18.—The tramp who had both legs cut off at Middleboro Junction last night by falling from a freight train was identified today as Patrick Daly of New Bedford. Daly is at the Morton hospital and may live.



Is the most enjoyable part of a picnic. It is as healthful as it is delicious, for by nourishing the nerves it overcomes fatigue.
All Grocers sell it by the bottle. Druggists by the glass. Get the Genuine.

RAILROAD SOLD.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Kearney, Neb., Aug. 18.—There was but one bid for the Kearney & Black Hills railroad when it was offered for sale yesterday by Special Master Alexander.

Vice President Cornish of the Union Pacific offered $153,000 for the branch line and it was knocked down to him at that figure.

TWO APPOINTMENTS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Washington, Aug 18.—The president today made the following appointments:

Nicholas J. Trod of Ohio to be receiver of public moneys at Circle, Alaska, and First Lieut. Charles A. Doyen, U. S. marine corps, to be captain.

STEAMER LAUNCHED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Bath, Me., Aug. 18.—The four-masted schooner Rachel W. Stevens of Norwalk, Conn., was launched this morning by the New England Shipbuilding company. She will be commanded by Lucius J. Stevens of Clinton, Conn. She is 182 feet long, 40 feet broad and 18 feet in depth. She has been built for the Cuban coal trade and has a capacity of 1800 tons.

LIABILITIES $270,000.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

New York, Aug. 18.—The Central Stamping company manufacturers of tinware at 25 Cliff street today assigned to Alfred Turner, Jr., of Paterson, N. J., without preference. The company's attorneys estimate the liabilities at $270,000 and the nominal assets at $500,000.

DROPPED DEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Manchester, N. H., Aug. 18.—Nathan F. Corliss of Somerville Mass. who had been visiting his father in this city dropped dead of heart disease at the passenger station this forenoon. He leaves a family in Somerville.

AN OPEN LETTER
To MOTHERS.

WE ARE ASSERTING IN THE COURTS OUR RIGHT TO THE EXCLUSIVE USE OF THE WORD "CASTORIA," AND "PITCHER'S CASTORIA," AS OUR TRADE MARK.

I, DR. SAMUEL PITCHER, of Hyannis, Massachusetts, was the originator of "CASTORIA," the same that has borne and does now bear Chas. H. Fletcher *on every the fac-simile signature of* Chas. H. Fletcher. *wrapper. This is the original "CASTORIA" which has been used in the homes of the Mothers of America for over thirty years.*

LOOK CAREFULLY *at the wrapper and see that it is the kind you have always bought* *on the and has the signature of* Chas. H. Fletcher. *wrapper. No one has authority from me to use my name except The Centaur Company, of which Chas. H. Fletcher is President. March 24, 1898.*

Samuel Pitcher M. D.

Do Not Be Deceived.

Do not endanger the life of your child by accepting a cheap substitute which some druggist may offer you (because he makes a few more pennies on it), the ingredients of which *even he* does not know.

"The Kind You Have Always Bought"
BEARS THE SIGNATURE OF
Chas. H. Fletcher.

Insist on Having
The Kind That Never Failed You.

THE CENTAUR COMPANY, 77 MURRAY STREET, NEW YORK CITY.

I very well remember the evening I arrived at Madison. My cousin Bertha was to meet me there, coming up from Milwaukee. She was not used to traveling and had, when she arrived, what she called a sick headache. I induced her to swallow a RIPANS TABULE and in half an hour she was well enough to join me at supper at the hotel. I heard no more of the headache, but next day Bertha bought some RIPANS TABULES for herself and I know that she has not had one of those attacks for nearly a year now.

Any style packet containing TEN RIPANS TABULES in a paper carton (without glass) is now for sale at some drug stores—FOR FIVE CENTS. This low-priced sort is intended for the poor and the economical. One dozen of the five-cent cartons (12 tabules) can be had by mail by sending forty-eight cents to the RIPANS CHEMICAL COMPANY, No. 10 Spruce Street, New York—or a single carton (ten tabules) will be sent for five cents.

OF ROUGH RIDERS

A Romance in Which Son Finds Mother

WITH WHOM HE HAD PARTED IN CHILDHOOD.

Another Rough Rider Accidentally Finds Father.

Jacksonville, Fla., Aug. 18.—Thomas Williams of Torrey's Rough Riders has left for Fort Meade to see his mother, whom he had thought dead for many years. She is now 81 years old and has mourned her son for many years.

The Williams family lived on the border years ago, when Indians made a raid and killed Williams's father. His mother bravely fought off the Indians killing several when she was struck "Tom" then 7 or 8 years old, was taken away by the band and for a year or two was subjected to the worst kind of treatment. He bears scars on his face and person where the skin was torn off by the Indians in their efforts to harden him.

One day the band he was with met defeat and the boy was rescued by the whites. It took several years to win him back to civilization, he then being a strong hearty youth of 18 or so. He became a cowboy in Wyoming.

Thomas enlisted under Colonel Torrey and came here. In some manner his strange story became known and his aged mother, now living at Fort Meade, Fla., 200 miles south of here, was informed of it. She communicated with friends here and Williams learned that his mother still lived. In less than twenty hours he secured a furlough and now he is on his way to see her.

Another strange case came up this morning when a private met his father who had been missing more than 10 years. The father had left his western home suddenly and this spring came to Jacksonville, purchasing a small business. The soldier went into the store last night. The recognition was mutual.

IN HAVERHILL.

COMOMN COUNCIL ENRAGED AT STREET COMMITTEE.

Haverhill, Aug. 18.—Pres. Carr of the common council held the floor for the greater part of the session this evening and made one of the most violent speeches ever heard in the chamber.

The members of the street committee who at their last meeting instructed the superintendent of street to require nine hours labor from laborers in his department, contrary to orders of the city council, who voted for an eight-hour day, were the subjects of his attack. He declared that their action was unlawful and narchistic and condemned them severely. He offered resolutions to this effect which were passed by a vote of nine to three and then offered a series of orders on the same matter.

The first of these instructed the two members of the committee from the council to vote at the next meeting of the committee to rescind their former action in abolishing the eight hour work day and in connection with this he declared that the committee in failing to carry out the orders of the city council had violated the city ordinances, and that he would prosecute them if they did not rescind their action. This order was passed.

Another was then offered declaring the seats in the committee of the two council members to be vacant. This order he asked to have lie on the table until the next meeting, so that all members could have a chance to vote upon it.

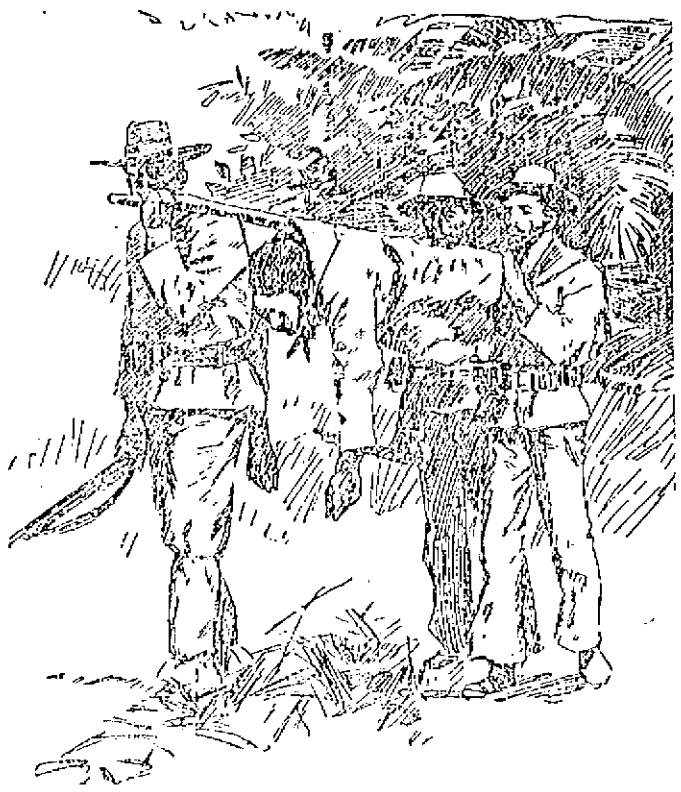
The members of the committee defend their action by saying that they were instructed by an informal opinion of the city solicitor that the eight hour day ordinance was illegal on account of its conflict with the public statutes. The street laborers are now working nine hours a day.

FOR LOCAL TREATMENT.
of female ills Mrs. Pinkham advises women to use St. Elmo Syringe, specially invented for that purpose. Illustrated book and goods at Ellingwood's Drug Store.

MUSIC HALL.

Commencing tomorrow night, the Dazzler will begin a four nights' engagement at Music Hall. Those wishing to see a first class farce comedy should not fail to see the Dazzler. It is bright, clean and breezy, full of songs, dances, and good specialties. It is tuned up to date. The company is headed by the charming soubrette, Miss May Firt and the funny comedian Howard Bolden.

To live long and be well use Maltox.



PORTO RICAN METHOD OF CARRYING THE INJURED.

LOWELL BOYS FOUGHT WELL.

(Continued.)

to resign, two of them for cowardice, they say. The Spaniards are asking for peace. Well, they ought to after the way we licked them here. The old Sixth did all the fighting here. The regulars were not in it. The war ships have landed with tons of mail here and I expect a few letters soon, so if there is any for me, I will answer them right off. It gets dark here at six o'clock now and in January it does not get dark until 9 o'clock.

In the march the other day there were 150 men fell on the roadside, some sunstruck and some fainting for a drink of water. Talk about walking; the cake walk is not in it. Tell Joe Hibbard to have a good old lively time for Company G when they get home and I bet we will show him how to go the cake walk. I guess I will close, hoping to hear from you soon.

Goodbye,
—Billy.

PRIVATE LAPOINTE.

Mrs. Lapointe of 85 French street has received the following letter from her husband, John J. Lapointe, who is a private in Company C, Sixth Massachusetts regiment.

Ponce, Porto Rico.
August 4, 1898.

Dear Wife:

I will write you these few lines to let you know that I am well, hoping you are the same. I will tell you that I have had no mail since that letter you sent to Camp Alger dated July 5th. I am very anxious to hear from you. It seems almost a year since I heard from you last. We heard this morning that the war was settled; if so, we will soon be home. We had only one battle since we landed and that was the first night we got off. There were only 2 men wounded out of our regiment and we killed 40 Spaniards and wounded 60. They are not in it with us. I never had so much fun as I did that night. We killed everything we saw in white, such as horses, cows, goats, pigs and dogs. I thought I shot a Spaniard and I ran up to take his gun away from him When I got up to him I found that it was a white pig that I had shot and then the boys had the laugh on me. It is very warm out here and we have to march from 12 to 15 miles a day. I tell you it is hard on us; all we get are two meals a day and but very little at each meal. My clothes are getting too big for me, but never mind, I will fill them when I get home and I hope it will be soon. I think another month will see me home all right. Well, I can't think of anything new to write for we don't see or hear anything here and we can't speak to the people out here for we can't understand them. They speak Spanish.

Don't worry about me, for I will pull through all right. I will now close for this time, so good-bye, and God bless you. From your loving husband,
—John J. Lapointe.

Miss Pindar, daughter of Col. Albert Pindar, who has been studying music in Europe, has returned.

Mr. J. G. Buttrick, wife and three children are spending a few weeks in Fitchburg with Mrs. Buttrick's brother, James Webster.

Good coal, prompt delivery, good service guaranteed by Rourke & Sullivan 223 Central street, 284 Gorham street.

Miss Adelaide A. Sullivan, the popular organist is spending a couple of weeks at Nantasket.

PLOT A FAILURE

Intended to Blow Up Police Court.

TWENTY-FIVE POUNDS OF POWDER

In a Can With Fuse Under the Judge.

Vancouver, B. C., Aug. 19.—At Steveston, B. C., yesterday, an attempt to blow up the police station and court room by gunpowder failed. A can with 25 pounds of powder in it was found underneath the police court room directly below Magistrate Pearson's chair. A fuse connected with the can had been lighted and had burned to within six inches of the powder and then went out. The general belief is that it was aimed at he life of Magistrate Pearson, who has made some enemies.

DEATHS.

McGRATH—Kate, infant daughter of John and Margaret McGrath, died yesterday afternoon at 103 Common street, aged three months.

COLLINS—Mrs. John Collins aged 38 years, died last night at her home 42 Wilson street, North Billerica. Besides her husband she leaves one daughter, Annie and two sons, T. A. and Edward Collins. The funeral will take place Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

BLODEAU—Xavier Blodeau, aged 67 years, died yesterday morning at 32 De Grasse avenue.

CURTIN—Leona Curtin, infant child of Michael and Mary Curtin, died yesterday at the home of her parents, 169 South street.

McGRATH—Katie J. McGrath, aged 3 months, daughter of John and Margaret McGrath, died yesterday afternoon at the home of her parents, 103 Common street.

SMITH—Elizabeth M. Smith, wife of William Smith, died yesterday at her home in Dracut. She was 82 years old and a pioneer resident of the town.

Mr. Wm. J. Currel, Jr., and Mr. Myles J. Fletcher have been visiting friends in Nashua.

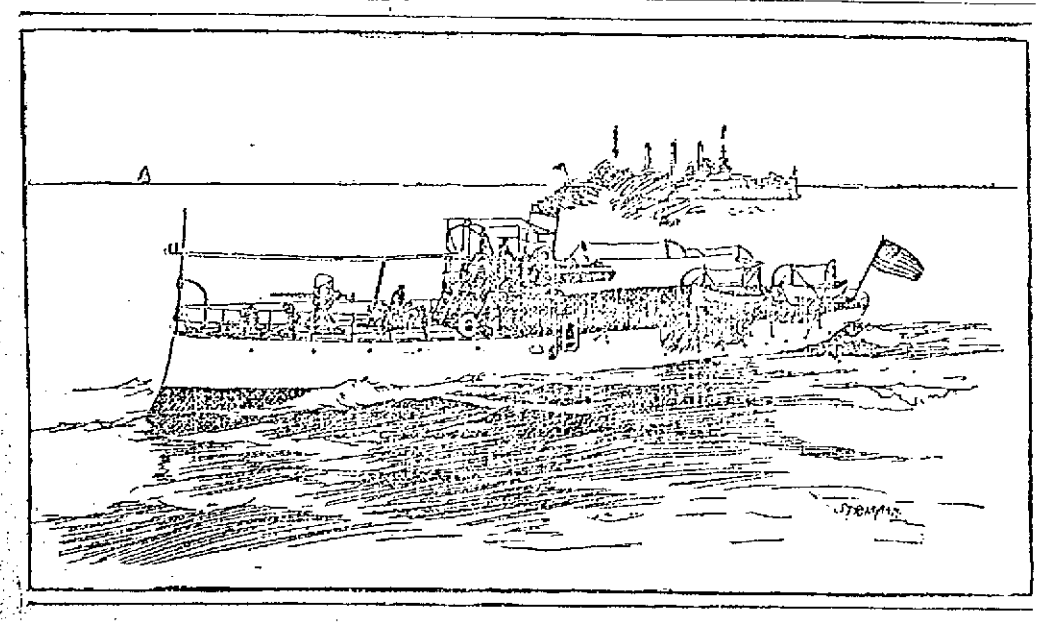
P. H. Warren is among the guests at the Hotel Howison, Milford, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Holland and family of Winchester are the guests of Mrs. Mary Aiken, 35 Shaw street.

Master Willie and Miss Pansy Sawyer have returned home from an enjoyable vacation of two months spent in Scituate, Mass.

Miss Maggie Rourke of Market street and Miss Tessie Fagan are spending two weeks at Crescent beach.

Dr. Martin and his family returned yesterday from a very pleasant vacation spent in central New York.



SPANISH GUNBOAT COLEREO, CAPTURED IN THE HARBOR OFI SANTIAGO.

PONCE OPEN FOR TRADE

Things Began to Hum After the Americans Arrived.

FRIENDLINESS OF THE PEOPLE

Customs Receipts of $21,000 Started the New Administration — The Question of Money Exchange — Firemen and Policemen Saluted Americans Wherever Met. The Ponce Milk Delivery—Spanish Collection of Lies.

The New York Sun's correspondent at Ponce, writing under the date of July 30, tells about business transactions in that important city of Porto Rico. He says:

The day before yesterday no business was done at the custom house of Ponce, the officials having abandoned their posts somewhat hastily and unceremoniously. Tonight Colonel Hill has $21,000, received in payment of customs duties in the old building by the waterside at the Playa. From this it will be seen how quickly business resumed its course after the arrival of the Americans at this important city of the island, the greatest molasses port in the world.

On Wednesday Ponce was Spanish. On Saturday, today, it is American in fact and in spirit, with no magic charm to account for the change except the glorious "flag of the stars," as one Porto Rican alcalde has called it, borne before a few thousand boys in blue and brown, who have been greeted as brothers come home where they expected to fight as conquerors. On Thursday night soldiers were still landing from the troopships in the harbor and questioning those ashore ahead of them as to what fighting had been done by the advance body and what was to be feared about the Playa. On Saturday morning the American port of Ponce, P. R., was doing business, even to the establishment of strict quarantine regulations, with the U. S. S. Cincinnati as guardship and Captain Chester as captain of the port. A United States squadron, with the Massachusetts as flagship, was at home in the bay, with the muzzles of the guns capped and the gun crews at rest.

Merchant ships of different nations, yachts, tugs and lighters indicated a busy harbor. On shore warehouses that were closed on Thursday were open, receiving and delivering goods. The soldiers who passed in front of them were, many of them, unarmed, having discarded even revolvers and cartridge belt. Here and there a closed warehouse gave the appearance of a partial observance of the Saturday half holiday. A British merchant captain, who had been five days in the harbor trying to discharge his cargo, welcomed the transformation that had come over the scene not less than the Porto Ricans and the agreeably surprised American soldiers and sailors. He had been unable to get anybody to work at unloading his cargo of provisions before the arrival of the Americans, and he had considered it advisable to go armed when in the city. Now he was again among people who believed in work.

It was a picture, the arrival of the Americans on Thursday morning, when the American flag was hoisted at daybreak over the office of the Spanish captain of the port. At the hour when the families of most of the soldiers were breakfasting at home American officers were being conducted about the city to which they had come in the guise of enemies by residents of the city, who could not show them courtesies enough. It was a coincidence not to escape notice that this first excursion of the Americans, for excursion it amounted to, brought up at the palace of justice. Thither their native entertainers led the American officers, after having shown them the roads over which the fleeing Spaniards had gone and some of the chief points of interest in the city. In the middle of the morning navy officers in immaculate uniforms drove unarmed around the town, and noncombatants of the invading expedition dickered in security with men whose language they could not speak to convey them in half closed traps over an unknown road several miles into a city which the enemy had indeed surrendered, but where, considering that enemy's character, treachery was to be feared if not expected. Considerable stretches of the way and many streets of the city were without American patrol, and Spaniards, even Spanish officers in civilian dress, were pointed out by friendly natives riding down toward the playa to see what the newcomers were like and what they were about.

But the Spaniards were few and the Porto Ricans were many. The Spaniards were inconspicuous and the Porto Ricans quiet, except in their demonstrations of welcome to the men they were pleased to call their deliverers. These were hearty, as when the bomberos or firemen drew up and saluted the invading forces, or effusive citizens proffered their best services to individual Americans whom they happened to pick out and address. The firemen and policemen all day saluted Americans wherever met, and at the chief public square, Bombas Parque—park of the bomberos—stray Americans who found themselves the center of an agitated, voluble crowd were likely to see close at the edge of the crowd watchful policemen, who certainly had every appearance of being sincerely if needlessly concerned in behalf of the welfare of the Americans. The policemen watched, too, released political prisoners who owed their new freedom to the Americans, and who, it seemed to be feared, might incite some unwelcome demonstrations.

Of course the apparent and real security felt and exhibited by the Americans was not without something actual for a base. The American troops, though only a few of them, were not only posted where seemed most needful about the town, but had pushed out along the road after the Spanish army some two or three miles beyond the town. Yet how few these were may be inferred from the frequent questioning of the natives as to where the American army was. They expected to see soldiers every where.

A peculiar feature of the day was the absence of the American flag in the brilliant display of national colors in town and harbor. French, Danish, British, German, Austrian, Haitian, Italian, Red Cross flags floated everywhere. Harbor craft that were plainly Spanish property flew flags of any nation, and the number of foreign flags over buildings was astonishing in a town among whose 40,000 people only 3,803 were others than natives of Porto Rico and Cuba. The figures are from the last census, brought up to the beginning of this year, and the 3,803 included the Spanish garrison. The craft under false colors were promptly confiscated.

No attention was paid to the houses flying flags any more than to those which flew none. But it would seem as if the authorities must have at some time required the surrender of all American flags of size in the place or that the inhabitants have not sought possession of the stars and stripes, for even after the city was wholly in the hands of the United States forces there was scarcely an American emblem to be seen except those of the soldiers and a comparatively small number of the miniature flags which are sold as buttonhole insignia by the hucksters at home.

The stores on Thursday were most of them shut. Some, chiefly those of Porto Ricans or of persons able to hoist a foreign flag, were doing a small business. Timid provision dealers, whose trade made it necessary that they remain open, shivered when Americans entered to buy, fearing that if they sold to the pigs the Spaniards might come back and cut them up for doing so or that Spanish sympathizers among their customers would show resentment. In some cases these men gave away whatever an American asked for, but "t'rew fits for sure" at his first essay to get out his pocketbook. They would have none of his money. Later in the day, when the Americans became more numerous and showed a corresponding increase of capacity, it is fair to say the tradesmen of this type became less squeamish. They took money and made change.

Smart natives were able to turn a good thing in a monetary way early on the day of the Americans' arrival. They cunningly quoted prices in dollars instead of pesos, and quietly took the good American dollars offered them at peso value, saying nothing. When Yankee shrewdness woke up, the dollar immediately went to a premium of 100 per cent. Yesterday the same ratio prevailed. This morning the premium had declined to 75 per cent, and this afternoon in many places American silver is accepted only at par with Spanish. It made men groan to part even with the cartwheels at no better than par with the Spanish grindstones, but when they wanted what the other fellows had it had to be done. The law of supply and demand was seen in active operation right at home. American gold and notes continued at the 75 per cent premium. Porto Rican notes are refused absolutely.

One reason given for the sudden appreciation of the island silver is the locking up of so much of it at the new custom house, most of Colonel Hill's $21,000 being in the native coins. When this is returned to circulation, the premium on the American coins is expected to come again into being. There are not wanting in the interim advocates of an order from the American authorities to fix an arbitrary rate of exchange on the island coinage and currency. With the custom house at the playa and the bulk of retail business at the town proper there is opportunity in the absence of an official exchange ratio for a considerable range in the matter.

A very curious feature of the streets is the milk delivery. This takes place before and during the noon, or breakfast, hour, breakfast being taken here between 12 and 3 o'clock. Sometimes the milk is still being sold at 4 or 5 o'clock. The milkman drives from door to door from one to four or five cows, each branded with a number and usually one or more of them accompanied by a calf. The driver cries his approach, and the customer fetches or sends out a pan, pail, bottle or cup, which he hands to the milkman. The milkman puts into the receptacle the quantity of milk paid for, which he induces the cow to yield after the usual manner. The operation is repeated at each customer's, and some of the American soldiers are taking advantage of the opportunity offered to get warm milk.

Some citizens of Ponce, who have not been in sympathy with the Spanish government, have made up what they term the collection of lies, consisting of the mendacious telegrams, purporting to give the news of land and naval engagements between Spaniards and Americans, which have been issued by the government for public consumption. It forms quite a fat book. One of the dispatches, published on July 12, told of "the glorious destruction of Cervera's squadron." "The Spanish navy may die, but never surrenders," it says, and adds that after a glorious combat all the Spanish vessels sank "after giving battle to Sampson's fleet and sinking the New York, Massachusetts, Annapolis and another gunboat, the name of which is not given."

Went Home Too Soon.

Weyler made a mistake by not remaining in Cuba and getting into the surrender. He might, like Cervera, have become an American hero.—Pittsburg Times.

Better Look Twice.

Uncle Sam had better look twice before he Philippines.—Toledo Bee.

Got It Right at Last.

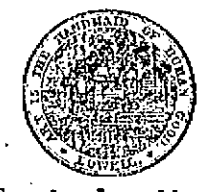
A farmer who had lost a son in the war employed the village poet to write an obituary, which ran as follows:

He for his country fit and fout
Until death blowed his candle out.

"That won't do," said the bereaved parent, "kaze they don't use candles now. Take another whirl at it." The poet squared his jaws and presently produced the following:

He fit and fout with gun and knife
Till death blowed out the gas of life.

"That's better, now!" exclaimed the farmer. "I've blowed out the gas myself a-many a time!"—Atlanta Constitution.



Collector's Notice.

Office of the Collector of Taxes,
Lowell, Mass., Aug. 5, 1898.

The owners and occupants of the following described parcels of real estate, situated in the city of Lowell, in the county of Middlesex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and the public are hereby notified that the taxes thereon severally assessed for the year hereinafter specified, according to the list submitted to me as collector of taxes for said city by the assessors of taxes remain unpaid, and that said parcels of real estate will be offered for sale at public auction at the office of the collector at city hall, on Wednesday, September 7, 1898, at 10 o'clock a. m., for the payment of said taxes, with the costs and charges thereon, unless the same shall be previously discharged.

No. 99—Ward 8, precinct 1. Amasa Howard, 5505 square feet of land, more or less, being Lot No. 12 Edwards street, on the east side of said street, between land now or formerly of O. Merrill on the north, and land now or formerly of B. W. Johnson on the south.
Tax of 1896, $2.25.

No. 100—Ward 8, precinct 3. Dorothy Kenlston, 1875 square feet of land, more or less, being Lot No. 464 Quebec street, on the west side of said street, between land now or formerly of E. A. Thissell on the north, and land now or formerly of A. L. Wright on the south.
Tax of 1896, $1.50.

No. 101.—Ward 8, precinct 1. Edward P. McCoy, 1 1-4 acres of land, more or less, with buildings thereon, situate No. 5 Dublin Lane, on the west side of said lane, between land now or formerly of John Sayers on the north, and land now or formerly of John and J. F. Sayers on the south.
Tax of 1896, $11.25.

No. 102—Ward 8, precinct 1. Edward D. McVey, 1,000 square feet of land, more or less, with buildings thereon, situate No. 519 Westford street, on the north side of said street, between land now or formerly of Kingsley and Woodward on the east, and land now or formerly of John A. Hunt on the west.
Tax of 1896, $33.00.

No. 103—Ward 8, precinct 2. Avery J. Marshall, 10606 square feet of land more or less, with buildings thereon, situate No. 215 Parker street, on the north side of said street, between land now or formerly of A. Marshall on the east and Wilder street on the west.
Tax of 1896, $99.90.

No. 104—Ward 8, precinct 2. Avery J. Marshall, 8320 square feet of land more or less, with buildings thereon, situate No. 207 Parker street, on the north side of said street, between land now or formerly of Thomas Fay on the east, and land now or formerly of A. Marshall on the west.
Tax of 1896, $22.50.

No. 105—Ward 8, precinct 2. Avery J. Marshall, 10,000 square feet of land, more or less, being Lot No. 16, Chelmsford street, on the east side of said street, between land now or formerly of Joseph Welch on the south, and land now or formerly of John Bailey on the north.
Tax of 1896, $7.50.

No. 107—Ward 8, precinct 2. Frank McMahon, 22,500 square feet of land, more or less with buildings thereon, situate No. 549 Chelmsford street, on the west side of said street, between land now or formerly of Mary Prudhomme on the north and land now or formerly of James H. Wright on the south.
Tax of 1896, $45.00.

No. 108—Ward 8, precinct 2. Frank McMahon, 4655 square feet of land, more or less, being Lot No. 11 Houghton street, on the east side of said street between land now or formerly of J. W. Bennett and John Harriman on the north and land now or formerly of J. W. Bennett on the south.
Tax of 1896, $3.75.

No. 111—Ward 8, precinct 1. Mary M. Pierce, 5,000 square feet of land, more or less, with buildings thereon, situate No. 9 Sayles street on the west side of said street, between land now or formerly of M. Wilcox and T. Cahill on the north and land now or formerly of William E. Livingston on the south.
Tax of 1896, $40.50.

No. 113—Ward 8, precinct 1. Sarah P. Stiles, 2522 square feet of land, more or less, with buildings thereon situate No. 17 Watson avenue on the north side of said avenue, between land now or formerly of Jane Noble on the east, and land now or formerly of L. P. Mortferrand on the west.
Tax of 1896, $11.25.

No. 114—Ward 8, precinct 3. Unknown owner, 880 square feet of land, more or less, being Lots Nos. 431 and 432 Montreal street, on the south side of said street, between land now or formerly of the Lowell & Andover railroad on the east and land now or formerly of the Old Colony railroad on the west.
Tax of 1896, $0.75.

No. 115—Ward 8, precinct 3. Unknown owner, 5625 square feet of land, more or less, being Lot No. 541 Montreal street, on the north side of said street, between land now or formerly of Mrs. M. L. Goddard on the east, and land now or formerly of D. F. Tombs on the west.
Tax of 1896, $2.25.

No. 116—Ward 8, precinct 3. Sarah and Nellie A. Upton, 5700 square feet of land more or less, with buildings thereon, situate at No. 39 Washington street, on the east side of said street, between land now or formerly of I. M. Grafton on the north and land now or formerly of J. H. Kennedy on the south.
Tax of 1896, $25.25.

No. 118—Ward 8, precinct 3. Edgar F. Barclay, 5696 square feet of land more or less, with buildings thereon, situate No. 23 Washington street, on the west side of said street, between land now or formerly of S. C. Smiley on the north and land now or formerly of H. H. Beard on the south.
Tax of 1896, $33.75.

No. 119—Ward 8, precinct 3. Nathaniel Batchelder, 1757 square feet of land, more or less, with buildings thereon, situate No. 238 Plain street, on the north side of said street, between land now or formerly of Duane P. Stacy on the west, and land now or formerly of William L. Farnham on the east.
Tax of 1896, $18.75.

No. 120—Ward 8, precinct 3. Otis B. Bates, 1875 square feet of land, more or less being Lot No. 187 Montreal street, on north side of said street, between land now or formerly of Elizabeth Andrews on the east, and land now or formerly of Lamson and Thissell on the west.
Tax of 1896, $1.50.

No. 121.—Ward 8, precinct 3. James A. Cheever, 8818 square feet of land, more or less, being Lots Nos. 426, 427, and part of 428 Plain and Main streets, on the northeast corner of said streets between land now or formerly of the Old Colony railroad on the east and Montreal street on the north.
Tax of 1896, $6.75.

No. 122.—Ward 8, precinct 3. Charles P. Curran, 3351 square feet of land, more or less, situate on the north side of West London street, between land now or formerly of John McMahon on the east and land now or formerly of Mrs. P. S. Webster on the west.
Tax of 1896, $3.00.

No. 123—Ward 8, precinct 3. John P. O'Connor, 2774 square feet of land, more or less, being Lot No. 509 Quebec street, on the east side of said street, between land now or formerly of J. C. Franck on the north and land now or formerly of J. A. Ellison on the south.
Tax of 1896, $0.75.

Other estates to be sold for unpaid taxes will be found advertised in the Citizen, News, Mail, Courier, and L'Etoile of this date.

Charles F. Coburn,
City Treasurer and Collector of Taxes for the City of Lowell.

NEW RECORD

IN CRICKET MADE AT CHESTERFIELD, ENG.

Chesterfield Eng., Aug. 19.—In the cricket match between Yorkshire and Derbyshire, which began yesterday, Brown and Tunnicliffe, for Yorkshire, made the sensational score of 554 before the partnership was dissolved today.

This is the world's record for first class cricket the previous record being 498.

The pair went in first yesterday and batted all day long, the score at the close of play being 503. This morning Tunnicliffe made his score 243 before he was dismissed and Brown was not out with a score of 292 and extras 1 9.

Brown soon followed, having totalled 300.

SALE POSTPONED.

The assignees of O'Hearn & Dowd are forced to announce that the great bargain sale which was to have opened at 9 o'clock today, will have to be postponed until Saturday morning at 9 o'clock, owing to their inability to sort and mark the immense amount of stock which this firm carried. As it is, they will have to work night and day to complete their work and on Saturday everything will be in order and especially low prices will rule. Don't forget to read their advertisement in today's paper and that the sale will commence promptly at 9 o'clock Saturday a. m.

Miss Ada J. Tibbetts is registered at the Essex House, Salem.

Miss Rose Feeney of Adams street has returned to her home after a few days' stay with friends at Rye beach, N. H.

Miss Maggie Rabitt of Elm street and Miss Etta McHugh of Andrews street have gone to the Rangeley Lakes to stay two weeks.

Victor Delisle and wife of 160 Appleton street are among the guests at the Atlantic House, Nantasket beach.

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To quit tobacco easily and forever, be magnetic, full of life, nerve and vigor, take No-To-Bac, the wonder-worker, that makes weak men strong. All druggists, 50c or $1. Cure guaranteed. Booklet and sample free. Address Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or New York.

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Candy Cathartic, cure constipation forever. 10c, 25c. If C. C. C. fail, druggists refund money.

Use Maltox if you are worn out.

SUPPLIES MUCH NEEDED.

Santiago, Aug. 19.—Hospital supplies and nurses are much needed. Large quantities of supplies have already been distributed by Dr. E. G. Brackett of the Massachusetts Aid association, who arrived two weeks ago. All the hospital ships leaving here are under orders to return, as the number of sick is too large for the present service. The fever is increasing among the remaining troops.

Four thousand Spanish troops have already been shipped and two transports left today with 3000 more. General Toral says more transports will be needed than have been provided. The 6000 Spanish at Guantanamo bay cannot leave before the last of the month. Sickness is increasing among them.

General Wood has ordered the sale of whisky, beer and wines stopped everywhere, and provided severe penalties for infractions of the rule. Restaurant keepers are greatly depressed by this order, which confines their sale of drinks to coffee and lemonade.

Clara Barton and a large portion of her force will leave the first of next week.

Those Absent Ones.

The mayors of Ponce, San Juan and other Porto Rican cities were detained by pressing business from attending the present convention of American municipalities, but they will probably be on hand next year.—Detroit Free Press.

DON'T YOU WITCH
you had a pint bottle of Dows' Witch Hazel—only 25c. 569 Central St.

GERMAN HATE

Clearly Shown to Americans at Manila.

Tried to Prevent Capitulation of the City and Was Leagued With Augustin—Future of the Philippines — Spain's Commissioners Appointed—Other Despatches.

Hong Kong, Aug. 19.—It appears that Governor General Augustin did not quite abdicate; he only declined to be responsible for the consequences. When he found that Spain was not sending him help, he retained his position, but practically washed his hands of the fighting. This was construed as insubordination, and The Gazette published an order to supersede him. It is rumored that confidential instructions were given to his successor to resist to the utmost, hoping to gain the world's admiration and, possibly, assistance in securing a favorable termination.

A telegram arrived Aug. 7, ordering the Americans to proceed immediately to extremities, whereupon General Merritt and Admiral Dewey issued an ultimatum allowing 48 hours for the removal of non-combatants, but declaring that they would begin the bombardment earlier if the Spaniards made any attack. The governor replied immediately, thanking the American commanders for their humane sentiments, but saying that they were useless, because he was surrounded with rebels and had no place of refuge for the great number of sick and wounded, and women and children.

The governor convened the consuls, begging them to use their influence with the Americans to get them to grant him time and facilities for the removal of the refugees, and suggesting the use of the American troopships; but he was unwilling to allow them food from Manila. He seemed indifferent to the fate of the 100,000 natives. The British consul made a powerful appeal to the governor to surrender, glorifying the heroism hitherto shown by the Spanish, but demonstrating the hopelessness of further resistance. The other consuls endorsed his appeal, with the exception of the German consul, who said that, as a military officer, he should hesitate to assert that the Spaniards had done enough yet.

In consequence of the American ultimatum the governor ordered the artillery to cease shelling the enemy's trenches, and he suspended an officer at Malate for disobeying his orders. A Spanish commercial deputation waited upon the governor and begged him to surrender, saying that otherwise they would be utterly ruined. The civil members of the council of war favored a surrender, but the military members did not dare to endorse such a request. Officers admitted the futility of resisting the Americans.

The British consul promptly arranged for four launches, under a white flag, to remove British subjects and also for one launch for the Chinese. Swarms of Spanish and native half-caste women and children begged to be provided with means for escape.

CEDED THE ARCHIPELAGO.

London, Aug. 19.—The Hong Kong correspondent of the Mail says: "The terms of the capitulation of Manila as agreed upon Saturday between General Jaudenes and General Merritt include the cession of the Philippine archipelago to the United States.

"An American naval officer who arrived from Manila on the Zafiro tells me that the Americans practically walked into Manila. The operations, he says, were confined to the Malate side of the city, where the Spaniards had a fort and two lines of trenches. The troops waded through the Malate river and walked up the beach as though going to lunch, meeting practically no opposition.

"I learn that when General Merritt went ashore after the capitulation of Manila he experienced some difficulty in finding General Jaudenes, who was ultimately found in a church among women and children."

FUTURE OF THE PHILIPPINES.

Paris, Aug. 19.—America's position in the far east is attracting great attention. One paper says: "The Americans will quadruple the value of the Philippines, and Manila will become the rival of Hong Kong. The United States will have a preponderating situation in Chinese waters. There is no market they desire more eagerly than the Chinese, and though they have been forestalled by other powers, they will assuredly overtake their rivals by the rapidity of their progress in that region, and in the coming break up of the Chinese empire the United States will not be content with the worst fortunes for their heritage."

The Times, while congratulating France upon the role of peacemaker, recognizes the fact that it is not always a good thing to put a finger between the hammer and the anvil, saying: "The United States will not hear a word of intervention; and France has no interests in compromising herself gratuitously with a country evidently destined for a more active part in great international affairs. It would be artless to count overmuch on Spanish gratitude."

NO COURT OF INQUIRY.

Washington, Aug. 19.—In reference to a report that Surgeon General Sternberg had asked the secretary of war for a court of inquiry, the secretary stated that on Aug. 1 the surgeon general made a full explanation with reference to the deficiency in medical supplies at Santiago, showing that ample supplies had been sent with the troops from Tampa, but owing to difficulties connected with the landing at Siboney a considerable proportion of the supplies had been left on the transports. In the same letter the surgeon general requested that if this statement was not considered satisfactory a court of inquiry should be appointed to ascertain if there was any responsibility on his part or that of the officers to whom the orders for supplies had been sent. There is no suggestion that a court is to be ordered.

QUESTION OF JURISDICTION.

Washington, Aug. 19.—A point on which officials are without definite information is the extent of our present authority in the Philippines. Under the protocol the United States was given the occupation of Manila, with the bay and harbor, until a permanent disposition of the Philippine question was reached, but according to press dispatches General Merritt and Admiral Dewey received the capitulation of the entire Philippine archipelago. There appears to be some doubt therefore as to whether our present authority and jurisdiction cover Manila only, or extend over all the Philippines as provided by the reported terms of capitulation. There is a disposition to await fuller information before laying down a policy as to the extent of our jurisdiction in the islands.

ALL WANT TO REMAIN.

Washington, Aug. 19.—Up to the present time it looks as if all the volunteers wanted to remain, and the mustering out will have to be by arbitrary order. Information received at the department indicates that the desire to remain in the service is not confined to the officers, but that the rank and file wish to continue. The department will wait until all information possible is obtained when, if no troops desire to return to their homes, selections in the best judgment of the officers will be made. The troops when mustered out will be transported to their homes.

ACT OF COURTESY ONLY.

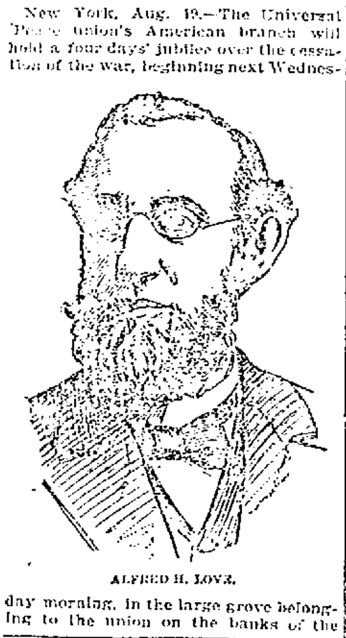
Berlin, Aug. 19.—Official and leading papers display anxiety to show that the removal of Governor General Augustin from Manila was in no way intended to offend America, but was a mere act of international courtesy. The Kolnische Zeitung and The Post follow the Nord Deutsche Allgemeine Zeitung in declaring that Admiral Dewey approved of General Augustin's departure; but all semi-official explanation fails to explain why so much secrecy was observed.

SPAIN'S COMMISSIONERS.

London, Aug. 19.—The Madrid correspondent of The Daily News says that Generals Blanco, Castellanos and Leon and Admiral Materola have been appointed commissioners for Cuba and Generals Macias and Ortega and Admiral Vallarino for Porto Rico. It is probable that Leon Castillo, the Spanish ambassador to France, will preside at the sessions of the Paris commission. Moret's candidature is made impossible by the hostile attitude of the press."

FOUR DAYS' JUBILEE.

New York, Aug. 19.—The Universal Peace union's American branch will hold a four days' jubilee over the cessation of the war, beginning next Wednesday morning, in the large grove belonging to the union on the banks of the Mystic river, Connecticut. Many well known speakers and prominent men and women will take part. Alfred H. Love of Philadelphia will preside.



ALFRED H. LOVE.

KEY WEST'S MENACE.

Key West, Aug. 19.—The naval base has been transferred from Key West to Norfolk. The reason for this is the appearance of yellow fever here. There are now 10 cases in the marine barracks, all the victims being marines. Forty persons in all are in the building, which is an old cigar factory, and a most rigid quarantine is being maintained. Only one of the cases is said to be serious. Whether there are any scattered cases throughout the town is not known, but this will be determined by a house to house inspection.

The marine hospital and local physicians are confident that the disease will be confined to the barracks, and that there is no danger of an epidemic. The utmost precautions are being observed, however.

JEALOUSY BETWEEN OFFICERS.

Boston, Aug. 19.—In an interview yesterday, regarding the resignations in the Sixth Massachusetts regiment, former Lieutenant Colonel Chaffin stated that he considered his act justifiable. Continuing, he said that there was undoubtedly great jealousy between the staff and field officers, and particularly was this shown against the officers of the Sixth Massachusetts. Captain Goodell of the same regiment, who also resigned, stated that at the time he thought his act was perfectly just, but had he the act to do over again, he would appear before the board of examiners rather than resign.

IS SORRY HE RESIGNED.

Boston, Aug. 19.—A special from Southbridge gives another interview with Captain Goodell, formerly of the Sixth Massachusetts, in which he finally admits that he made a great mistake in resigning. He was led to believe, he said, that it was the intention of the board of inquiry to dishonorably discharge the officers summoned to appear, trumping up the charge of incompetency, and in order to save disgrace he resigned. After his resignation had been accepted he was told that the board simply wished to gain information, and if he had complied with the summons, like Captain Barrett of Milford, he would have passed successfully. Captain Goodell deeply feels his position. He pinned too much faith on what his superior officer told him, but the mistake was discovered too late. He speaks in the highest terms of General Garretson, and finds fault with no one but himself for not using better judgment and appearing before the board as instructed.

The same dispatch contains an interview with Lieutenant Colonel Chaffin, who looks at the trouble in a different light. He claims that his popularity with the Sixth regiment caused jealousy on the part of the regular officers. Owing to the illness of Colonel Woodward, he was practically in charge of the Sixth most of the time, and the regulars, his superiors in office, were bound that his head should come off, together with other officers. As dishonorable discharge would have been their portion anyway, court-martial or no court-martial, he was forced to resign. Regarding the report about shooting stragglers, both officers stated that they had never been officially notified to enforce such a rule, still that was the understanding all along the line.

GERMANS HELP SPANISH.

London, Aug. 19.—The Singapore correspondent of The Daily Mail says: "The native rebellion in the Philippines has extended to the hemp provinces in South Luzon. Heavy fighting occurred at Tagtatuan, Pilar and Ponsol, the immediate cause being outrages committed by the Spaniards at Tagtatuan. The Spanish also burned Pilar and massacred 500 natives. The insurgents are concentrating at Albay with the object of cutting off the retreat of numerous Spaniards in the Camarinas province.

"A German cruiser has been carrying dispatches from the captain general of the Vizayas islands to the district between Cebu and Iligan, and the Spanish military depot in Mindanao. The Rosario, flying the German flag, has also been transporting troops thence to Iloilo."

ARREST OF VOLUNTEERS.

Fall River, Aug. 19.—Privates E. J. McCormack of company D, George McIane of company M, Michael Lowry of company D, Ed McKenna and George McCrea of company M, Forty-seventh New York, and James H. Jennings of the Fifth Massachusetts were arrested here last evening for overstaying leave, or disrespect to Lieutenant White of Fort Adams, who was on provost service. Jennings was arrested at the point of a pistol, and later released, his pass being all right. The others, together with Tom Mansfield, who is alleged to have a penitentiary record in several states, and who was taken for breaking from the guardhouse, were taken back to Newport. Privates Valentine, Roach and Nodine, who escaped with Mansfield, were not found. The troops were paid Wednesday and visited Fall River by the hundred, irrespective of permission.

A MONTH OF HARDSHIP.

Binghamton, N. Y., Aug. 19.—In response to congratulations from the Women's Veteran Relief union of this city, General Shafter wrote from Santiago a letter in which he said: "I have seen something of hard service, but never during the Civil War was there 30 days that tried me as the 30 days beginning from the time we landed on the island of Cuba until the surrender of Santiago, and it is to the gallant soldiers who uncomplainingly bore every privation that the country is indebted for its victory."

WANTS TO BE RETAINED.

Salem, Mass., Aug. 19.—Colonel Pfaff of the First Massachusetts heavy artillery wired Secretary Alger yesterday, in which he asked that the regiment be retained in service. He expressed a hope that the department would not decide to muster out the men, as has been intimated.

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WANTED—Ladies to know they can get their straw, leghorn or manilla hats cleansed or dyed and made in the latest shapes at the Hat and Bonnet Bleachery, 161 Merrimack street.

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WANTED—Housegirls at the Lowell Employment Office, 353 Merrimack street, opposite City hall.

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LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—An Astrachan Collarette at Lakeview Wednesday night. Finder will be rewarded by returning to 313 Moody street.

LOST—A pocketbook containing a large sum of money, either on Concord, Pleasant or Rogers streets. Finder will be rewarded by calling at 245 Concord street.

LOST—Between Royal and Mt. Vernon streets Tuesday morning, a lady's Silver Swiss Watch, open face, monogram on back of case. Reward at Otis Allen & Son's office, 206 Mt. Vernon street.

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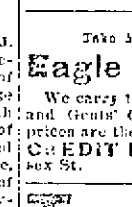

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FOR SALE—Two new houses, one on Dunfey street, nine rooms; one seven room cottage, within eight minutes' walk of the Lawrence mills, hot water, bath, etc.; both in good neighborhood and will be sold cheap on easy terms. Geo. D. Kimball & Co., Runels' block.

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Few doors from the corner of Central St.

GRAND MARK DOWN
CLEARANCE SALE

Every article in our store must be sold, regardless of cost. We must make room for our Winter stock. There are no old chestnuts but all fresh stock bought this season. Our line of new Wrappers surpass anything ever shown in this city.

Children's Gingham Dresses, were 25c. and 38c., now 15c.

25 doz. Ladies' Pique Neckties, were 25c., this sale 5c.

Gents' Soiled Neckties, were 25c., now 5c.

5000 yards heavy Bleached Crash, 3 1-2c. yard.

1000 cakes best Perfumed Soap, only 4c. cake.

1000 spools Clark's O. N. T., colored, for this sale 2 1-2c. spool.

Large Gingham Aprons 10c.

Ladies' Hose in Black and Brown, were 15c. and 19c., now 10c.

Men's extra heavy black and brown Hose, now 10c.

75 doz. Men's Seamless Cotton Hose, only 5c.

75 lbs. Ball Yarn, worth 8c. ball, this sale 2 1-2c. ball.

In order to reduce our enormous stock of Dry Goods, we have our Standard Prints and yard wide Percales, formerly sold for 10c., 8c., 6 1-4c., for this sale 5c. yard.

When you are getting your children ready for school don't forget that we carry a full line of Boys' Suits, Waists and Pants, and we guarantee prices with any other store.

Notwithstanding our elegant line of Wrappers in style and quality, the prices are only 75c., 98c. and $1.25.

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Well! Well!

Have just received a large lot of June Vermont Dairy and Creamery Butter in 5, 10 and 20-lb packages at prices that will keep our competitors guessing, and the quality that will please everybody. Give us a trial and we will convince you that we have no competitors in the city.

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WHEN IN DOUBT, TRY Sexine Pills

They have stood the test of years, and have cured thousands of cases of Nervous Diseases, such as Debility, Dizziness, Sleeplessness and Varicocele, Atrophy, &c. They clear the brain, strengthen the circulation, make digestion perfect, and impart a healthy vigor to the whole being. All drains and losses are checked permanently. Unless patients are properly cured, their condition often worries them into Insanity, Consumption or Death. Mailed sealed. Price $1 per box; 6 boxes, with iron-clad legal guarantee to cure or refund the money, $5.00. Send for free book. Address, PEAL MEDICINE CO., Cleveland, O.

Sold at Goodale's Drug Store, the best and cheapest place in Lowell for drugs and medicines, 211 CENTRAL STREET.

THE WEATHER.

ALMANAC, SATURDAY, AUG. 20.

The humidity will probably continue high, with little change from the present oppressive conditions. Except where effected by local disturbances, the winds will be light and variable.

Sun rises—4:56; sets, 6:38.
Moon sets—7:43 p. m.
High tide—12:30 a. m.; 1 p. m.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

GRANULATED SUGAR.

We have not told you anything about Sugar recently. We sell it for 6 1-2c. a pound, or 100 pound bags $5.68, F. O. B. your home. Dickson Bros., the Big Tea Dealers, 58 Merrimack street.

STEAMSHIP TICKETS AND DRAFTS

Sold on the Cunard, White Star, American, Dominion, Anchor, Allan, Red Star, French and German lines, sailing from Boston and New York to Liverpool and Queenstown. Money sent to Ireland, England and all parts of the world. Canada bills bought at Murphy's Steamship Agency, 18 Appleton street.

LOCAL NEWS.

Smokers enjoy Old Hundred cigars.

T. C. Lee, Fire Ins., 223 Central street.

BURN WILSON'S COAL.

Upright piano, $150 at Steinert's, 130 Merrimack St.

Elegant rubber tired hacks at O'Donnell's. Telephone, 159-4.

First class watch work only $1.00 for cleaning. Harris, 10 Appleton St.

If your coal does not suit you, try Mulin, the 953 Gorham street coal dealer. You can get him by telephone.

The employes of the L. L. & H. street railway have been informed that they all must be bonded in the sum of $300.

You cannot afford to use inferior stock on your buildings. Your contractor should order his stock of W. E. Livingston, 15 Thorndike street.

If you want a bicycle, go right up to the Thompson Hardware company. They have a bicycle built to sell for $55.00. You can buy it for $17.50. Only a few left.

The following Lawrence men are serving in the Lowell companies in the Sixth and Ninth regiments: Company M, Ninth regiment—Manley Barrett, John A. Logan, George A. Morris, John J. Winn.

Sixth regiment, Company G—L. Burton Upham.

If any of the persons who were riding on the electric car last Sunday, which left Lynn for Lowell about 4 p. m., and on which the boy was injured at Reading, will call at No. 53 Central street, Room 7, they will do a great kindness to the parents of the injured boy.

SPECIAL MEETING.

There will be a special meeting of the mule spinners union at their hall on Middle street tonight to elect a marshal and two aids for the Labor parade. All the members are respectfully requested to attend.

SCALP WOUND.

Gustaf Anderson, aged 61 years, while drunk last night, fell on Lawrence street, sustaining a severe scalp wound. He was arrested by Officer Healey. Upon his arrival at the station the wound was bleeding profusely and he was removed to St. John's hospital.

FUNDS EXHAUSTED.

The funds contributed for "Country Week" are exhausted and still there are several people waiting for and needing a week's rest. These cases are all urgent ones—people who are ill or overworked, for whom a respite from daily tasks seems imperative. Will no one help this worthy charity?

OSCEOLAS' PICNIC.

The tenth annual union picnic of the Osceolas of Lowell, Lawrence, Haverhill, Woburn and Malden will be held at Shawsheen river grove, Thursday, August 25. The proceeds will be donated to Company L, Sixth Massachusetts Regiment. The committee on arrangements consists of John Smith, Moses Grimes, Archie Hood, Harry W. Thompson and James Wilkinson of Lowell.

SOCIAL PARTY.

An enjoyable social gathering was held last night by the Dandy Black associates at the home of a member on Dummer street. About 50 young lady friends assisted in making the affair a grand success. During the evening a musical and literary program was given. Piano solos were rendered by Miss Etta Tully, Hannah Lyons and Nellie O'Brien and Mr. Joe Quinn; recitation, Patrick Quinn; vocal solos, Fred Cox, Peter Conroy and Neil Cronin. Dancing was also a feature. The officers in charge were: Patrick Quinn, general manager; Martin Miskella; floor director; Frank Doherty chief of nine aids.

LOWELL RELATIVES.

OF WHITTAKER SCOFIELD DID NOT KNOW HIS WHEREABOUTS.

Whittaker Scofield, who had such a narrow escape from death at White Plains, N. Y., resided in this city at 1 Billerica street until three months ago, when he left this city with an intention of enlisting. His brother, Joseph Scofield figured in the School street accident in which a man named Craven was killed. There are also two sisters in Lowell, Mrs. Alfred Walson and Mrs. Harry Stafford.

CAMP MEETING.

A LOWELL MAN ELECTED AS SECRETARY.

The Weirs, N. H., Aug. 18—At the annual meeting of the Methodist Camp Meeting association held this afternoon the following officers were elected: President, Rev. O. S. Baketel, Manchester; secretary, Rev. J. A. Bowler, Lowell, Mass.; treasurer, Rev. A. C. Goult, Manchester; executive committee, L. P. Durgin, Concord; Henry C. Lisbon, Lisbon; W. J. Morrison, The Weirs; Rev. J. E. Robbins, Dover; Rev. R. E. Wolcott, Suncook; Rev. L. R. Danforth, Lancaster; Rev. J. D. Legro, Lisbon; Rev. W. C. Bartlett, Whitefield; J. F. Needo, Meredith.

District Epworth league officers were elected as follows: President, Rev. J. Dinsmore, Haverhill; vice president, Rev. W. T. Carter, East Haverhill; Rev. R. T. Wolcott, secretary; and treasurer, Elizabeth B. Dyer; superintendent junior league, Mrs. J. Roy Dinsmore, Bath.

Dr. Coburn DENTIST 81 MERK ST.

CHEATED THE GALLOWS

Pennsylvania Murderer Didn't Wait for the Ordeal.

Strangled and Bled to Death—Was to be Executed for Wife Killing.

Norristown, Pa., Aug. 19.—Charles O. Kaiser, who was to have been hanged two weeks from next Tuesday for the murder of his wife, Emma Kaiser, committed suicide in the county jail by cutting several arteries in his arm, after which he hanged himself with an improvised rope made by twisting one of his bed-sheets. While the condemned man was preparing to cheat the gallows, the prison officials were in conference concerning the purchase of a scaffolding by which to carry out the law. As a consequence, Kaiser was not being watched. When found he had been dead but a short time.

Kaiser had obtained a spring from an alarm clock in his cell, and with this severed several arteries in his arm. To make sure of his act he had twisted the bed-sheet about the bars of the cell door and, making a noose, placed it about his neck. He both strangled and bled to death.

Mrs. Kaiser was murdered on the night of Oct. 28, 1896. She and her husband had gone driving, and she never returned alive. Kaiser told a story of being attacked by highwaymen, who had robbed him and his wife and then killed her and shot him. He was arrested and convicted for the crime and subsequently confessed, implicating James A. Clemmer and his mistress, Lizzie Dekalb, known through witnesses as the "woman in black."

Clemmer and the Dekalb woman were apprehended in New Jersey over a year later, and Kaiser and the woman testified that Clemmer fired the fatal shot. The woman pleaded guilty to being accessory after the fact. Clemmer was convicted and sentenced to death. Both Clemmer and the woman occupy cells in the jail close to where Kaiser took his life.

FONTAINE CONFESSES

THAT HE ENTERED THE BRISTOL DEPOT.

Frank Fontaine, who was arrested in this city on a charge of breaking and entering the railroad station in Bristol has been turned over to the Grafton county authorities.

To Marshal Rand, who took him from this city, Fontaine admitted that he alone was responsible for the break. He said that he found the door of the station open and was only compelled to break open the drawer in order to get at the tickets. He took ten mileage books and ten tickets, one of which he used to get to this city, and another to Nashua, en route to his home in Lowell.

Fontaine resides with his mother in Lowell and has served one term of five years in the Concord, Mass., reformatory for a job similar to the one done at Bristol.

CRICKET MATTERS.

The St. John's Cricket club, second eleven, will play Lowell Zions in this city, Saturday, August 20.

The following players have been selected to represent the Arlington-Parkvales against the North Billerica C. C. in this city on Saturday next. A. Bold, captain; J. Callaghan, J. Barrett, J. Rawthorne, S. Midgley, J. McHugh J. Bowyer, J. Oldroyd, E. Campbell, E. Gearnis, W. Byrnes. Reserves: A. Leach and J. Cassidy. Meet at the transfer station for the 1 o'clock car.

BOXING GOSSIP.

Warren Lewis, president of the Greater New York Athletic club, secured an injunction yesterday from Justice Lambert in the supreme court, Brooklyn, to restrain Thos. F. Byrnes Alexander Brown, John F. Dowdell, and John Cantwell from giving exhibitions in the club house or conducting any business under the name of the club or using its license or its property in any way. Lewis alleges that immediately after the Sharkey-Ruhlin fight an attempt was made by the other members of the club to freeze him out. Lewis said yesterday that his reputation as a patron of sport had been hurt by these men who had tried to freeze him out and who had run the club in a disreputable manner.

The betting on the Downey-McBride fight is very even. The men meet in a return match of twenty-five rounds' duration at the Greater New York A. C., August 22.

Kid McPartland and Owen Zeigler are to box twenty-five round at the Lenox A. C., New York, tomorrow night. McPartland is slightly the favorite.

Terry McGovern and Tim Callahan, the clever Philadelphian, will meet in a return match at the Pelican A. C., Brooklyn on Saturday night. Callahan has already whipped the Brooklynite.

A San Francisco club offers a good purse for Peter Maher to meet an unknown. It's pretty good betting that the unknown is Jim Jeffries.

The National Sporting club of London is trying to arrange a match between Johnny Hughes and Jack Daly.

Tom Carpenter is in the field with an open challenge to any 115-pound man in New England. Joe Horn had a backer who is ready to bet considerable money on Joe's chances against the Woburnite.

George Kerwin of Chicago has drawn the colored line. He was offered good inducements to meet Andy Watson or Joe Gans. He refused to match with either. In view of his three fights with Chappie Jones at Chicago during the past spring, it is hard to understand Kerwin's action.

Tommy Moriarty, the Lowell boxer, has two matches on in the west. He meets Walter N olan at Chicago Monday night and he goes against Charley Burns at Louisville, Sept. 5.

BASE BALL.

The Shamrocks and Big 7 will not meet at Belle Grove tomorrow, as was previously intended. The reasons that the former team gives are that the grounds are not in fit condition to play upon and the terms of the parties in charge cannot satisfy the nine. It is thought that arrangements can be effected to have the Atlantics and Shamrocks meet on the South common.

While no deposit has been made by the managers of the Fairmounts and Wannalancits, as yet, the game is scheduled and will surely be played on the Mountain Rock grounds (weather permitting) for a purse of $50. Both teams will go after the money from the start and all the tricks that the players of both teams are acquainted with will be turned to have success perched upon their banner. Jordon and Niland will essay for honors in the box for the Fairmounts and Wannalancits respectively, and a better match could not be made. "Chuck" Davis will retain his position behind the bat and Tommy Ahearn will make his first appearance on the initial base for the Fairmounts. "Mather" Lynch will catch for the Wanns. Tom Fee and scores of rooters buoyed by the thoughts of the severe defeat the Belvidere boys crushed upon the Shamrocks will cheer their side to victory possibly. To offset this, the usual large number of Wann. rooters will be upon the scene and will do their utmost to assist the North Enders to win. As the last game the two teams played was intensely exciting and the Fairmounts claimed unfair treatment, a new interest will be lent the game and whoever wins will win by fair means.

The Elms and Atlantics have made superficial arrangements for a game to take place on the South common tomorrow.

The Mysteries of Centralville will play the Merrimack Juniors tomorrow on Fels' field. Chappy Brown will probably pitch for the former team, while the Dracuts will place their confidence in an unknown.

If King fields and bats tomorrow as well as he did in his last game, he will probably lead in both the arts as both pitchers have the name of being very effective.

The following is the list of players who will play Labor Day at Mountain Rock: Wannalancits: Lynch, Grimes, Flo Murray, John Murray, Boyle, Leslie, Scully, McCarthy, Niland sub. Shamrocks: Rourke, Stirk, E. Kearns, Sullivan, J. Kearns, Fahey, Kenney, Murray, Lane.

The personnel of the Wannalancits will be precisely the same tomorrow as it was last game. The Fairmounts will differ but slightly, Tommy Ahearn filling a weak spot.

Hickey, formerly of the Shamrocks, now of Hingham, is expected back to this city in a few days.

Jack Sutherland of the famous old Orientals is being rejuvenated by backers of a prominent young team. Jack was among the best in his day and with practice he can undoubtedly find a berth among the leaders now.

The grass at Mountain Rock will be cut for the Wann-Fairmount game.

Tehhy Quinn, Bart. Murray, Pat. O'Brien and Buckey Kavanaugh have been elected a board of directors by the Shamrocks. Mike Keegan was elected a director of the Wanns. at a meeting held last night.

The persistency with which the crowds block the infield of the old Emerald grounds on the North common is very discouraging to the players of a game. And especially it is so in an exciting contest when every run and also every error counts. This fact was illustrated in the Shamrock-Wannalancit game when several apparently easy plays were rendered impossible by the handicap. For more than two hours these men who were risking $50 were in constant fear of a ball dropping in the middle of the nuisance. With men on bases, it meant sure defeat for the fielding team, but nevertheless, the crowd remained with a serenity that was disgusting. With a clear field, a week from last Saturday the score would have read something like 4 to 3 rather than 10 to 9. In years previous to this, a police officer was detailed to the North common, but this year a request for an officer has been refused by Supt. Davis. If the players were but furnished police protection the public would be treated to some fine exciting contests where no admission is charged. It would be a great boon to employes of the mills in search of spending their half holiday to good advantage.

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49c Fancy Ribbons,	9c yard
$1.25 Shirt Waists,	49c each
19c Wash Dress Goods,	5c yard
$1.00 Night Robes,	69c each
50c Dress Goods	25c yard
6c Bleached Crash,	1 1-2c yard
25c Ladies' Hosiery,	15c pair
$8.50 Ladies' Suits,	$3.98 each
$1.50 Men's Shirts,	57 each
$3.50 Tan Bicycle Boots,	$2.29 pair
25c Jersey Vests,	14c each
$1.98 Odd Jackets,	25c each
$1.25 Bicycle Leggins,	49c pair
50c Trimmed Drawers,	29c pair
$4.50 Linen Crash Suits,	$1.98 each
$2.00 Boys' Calf Shoes,	89c pair
25c Child's Button Boots,	39c pair
25c Books (200 titles),	5c vol
50c Men's White Shirts,	27c each
$1.60 White Skirts,	98c each

15c Barnsley Crash,	7 3-4 yard
15c Silkalines for Drapery,	8c yard
25c Smelling Salts,	10c yard
35c Pk. Puff Ties,	19c each
25c Black Silk Mitts,	12 1-2c pair
65c Oil Stoves,	37c each
25c Mason's Fruit Jars,	48c doz
85c Wash Boilers,	45c each
$1.98 Trimmed Hats,	49c each
69c Untrimmed Hats,	10c each
$3.50 Trimmed Hats,	98c each
25c Leather Belts,	10c each
50c Leather Belts,	25c each
50c Boys' School Waists,	25c each
25c Tray Cloths,	15c each
50c White Skirts,	25c each
Half Gal. Bot. Ammonia,	10c
3 Cakes Buttermilk Soap for	10c
Woodbury's Facial Soap,	15c cake
12c "Lilac Blanc" Soap,	5c cake

20c Boxes Stationery, 1-2 lb,	10c box
50c Pineapple Sherbert,	25c bot
20c Seamless Hose,	9c pair
50c Hair Brushes,	25c each
10c Glycerine Soap,	5c cake
200 yd Sewing Thread,	1c spool
12 1-2c Garter Elastic,	5c yard
5c Common Pins,	1c paper
12 1-2c Boys' & Girls' Hose,	5c pair
12c Embroidery Handkerchiefs,	5c ea
$1 Dr. Warner's Corsets,	49c pair
59c Best Corsets,	39c pair
25c Ladies' Bow Ties,	12 1-2c ea
50c "Crom" (Lavender) Salts,	29c bot
20c Side Combs,	10c pair
50c Waist Sets,	25c set
15c Stick Pins,	5c ea

79c Boston Bags,	49c
8c Hook & Eye Tape,	1c yard
12c Skirt Braid,	7c piece
25c Oriental Laces,	9c yard
10c Pearl Buttons,	5c dozen
39c Shirt Waists,	10c ea
20c Leather Purses,	10c ea
25c Men's Neckwear,	12 1-2c ea
25c Side Combs,	15c pair
10c Belt Pins,	5c ea
50c Leather Purses,	25c ea
20c Waist Sets,	10c set
25c Stick Pins,	10c ea
8c Hair Pin Boxes,	3c box
8c Faderhaken Hooks,	2c doz
25c Dress Shields,	9c pair
50c Steel Scissors,	25c pair
20c Whisk Brooms,	10c ea
69c Shirt Waists,	25c ea
5c Col. Bor. Handkerchiefs,	2 ea

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Hundreds of bargains in Gloves, Ties, Parasols, Children's Wear, etc., etc.

All our Summer Goods must be closed out at once. Price no object. The space they occupy we need. Therefore the goods must go.

APOLOGY.

The immense amount of stock to be assorted and marked at sale prices renders it impossible for us to open as promised. At the time of writing this apology, 11 p. m., Thursday, goods are piled high on the counters in the utmost confusion. The sale will begin

Saturday Morning at 9 O'clock.

THE GREATEST

BARGAIN CARNIVAL

In Lowell's history begins. The entire stock of O'Hearn & Dowd will be offered for sale at Uncle Sam's Old Stand.

Professional and business men, mechanics and laborers can find clothing to suit them in the excellent stock carried by this firm.

Fulfilling our obligations to the creditors in their desire to turn the stock into cash as quickly as possible, we have marked everything at about one half O'Hearn & Dowd's prices. The stock is high grade and absolutely reliable.

Every man who wears pants ought to be at this sale. Every mother who has a boy to clothe will be there if she consults her own interests.

BOYS' CLOTHING

Every Price Cut in Two. Some 'Way Below Half.

Boys' All Wool Suits, absolutely fast color, pants made double seat and knee, fancy braid on collar and knee pants, O'Hearn & Dowd's price, $2.00,

79 Cents.

Boys' Wool Suits, not all wool, their price $1.25,

50 Cents.

Boys' Heavy Wool Knee Pants, their price 29 cents per pair,

15 Cents Pair.

MEN'S CLOTHING

Men's Strictly All Wool Suits, color and sewing guaranteed O'Hearn & Dowd's price (special $5.00),

$2.50.

Men's Fine Cassimere Suits, their price $10.00,

$5.75.

Men's and Youths' Pants, warranted not to rip, their price $1.00 a pair,

50 Cents Pair.

Men's Fine Wool Pants, their price $2.00 a pair.

$1.00 Pair.

Overcoats and Ulsters Likewise.

Furnishing Goods

Men's Cheviot and Percale Shirts, laundered and unlaundered, O'Hearn & Dowd's price 50 cents each,

17 Cents Each.

Men's Fine Half Hose, seamless, black and tan, fast colors, their price 15 cents a pair,

6 1-4 Cents Pair.

Men's Fine Balbriggan, Merino and Jersey Ribbed Shirts and Drawers, their price 25 cents,

12 1-2 Cents.

Men's Heavy Weight Outside Wool Shirts, their price 75 cents,

35 Cents.

Men's Fancy Bosom Shirts, white bodies, their price 50 cents,

23 Cents.

HATS, HATS, HATS

Men's and Boys' Straw Hats, O'Hearn & Dowd's price 50 cents each.

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THE SUN LATEST

5 O'CLOCK.

OUR PRISONERS

Sailed for Spain This Morning.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19.—The war department has received the following cablegram giving information of the departure of Spanish prisoners:

Santiago de Cuba, Aug. 19.

To H. C. Corbin, Adjutant General, Washington:

The Cabadonza sailed this morning with 2,148 men, 109 officers, 44 women, and 48 children. Two others are loaded and probably will sail this afternoon.

(Signed) SHAFTER, Major General.

REVOLUTIONARY LEADER CAPTURED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19.—United States Minister Hunter of Gustemala cables the state department that General Morales, leader of the revolution, was captured in a cave on Wednesday and died on his way to prison at San Sebastian.

ARCHBISHOP IRELAND AT WASHINGTON

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19.—The members of the cabinet, except Secretaries Day and Long, who are out of the city, were prompt in reaching the White House this morning for the regular session. Up to the time they met, at 11 o'clock, there was very little to disturb the quiet routine there. Archbishop Ireland was one of the notable visitors. He arrived about ten o'clock and had a conference with President McKinley. It is understood that the archbishop is empowered to make representations to the administration, looking to the protection of the interests of the church of Rome in our new territorial accessions, particularly in Porto Rico. Though he would not affirm this, when questioned, it is significant that he attempted no denial of it.

TRANSPORT ARRIVES.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, Aug. 19.—The United States transport Miami arrived this morning from Montauk Point. The Miami landed the rough riders, also General Wheeler and Col. Roosevelt from Santiago at Montauk. She will be thoroughly disinfected at quarantine and released probably this evening.

CAPT. QUIGLEY DIED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

AUBURN, N. Y., Aug. 19.—Captain John A. Quigley, regimental adjutant of the Third New York Infantry, now w in camp at Thoroughfare, Va., died at his home in this city this morning of typhoid fever contracted at Camp Alger.

Captain Quigley was born in New York city about 35 years ago. Three weeks ago he was brought home sick and death resulted today.

He leaves a wife and three children.

PEACE FELICITATIONS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

CITY OF MEXICO, Aug. ...—United States Minister Clayton has notified the foreign relations department of the conclusion of peace preliminaries with Spain and Minster Mariscall formally replied, congratulating the United States government that peace is now assured.

NO FURTHER CONCESSIONS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

YOKOHAMA, Aug. 19.—The Corean government referring to a German request for concessions, has notified the German consul at Seoul that it proposes to establish a railway bureau and to construct its own railways, and that therefore, no further concessions will be granted.

BARK STRANDED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LONDON, Aug. 19.—Later advices received from Montevideo, say that the report of the British bark, John Gill, Captain McKenzie from Boston, having stranded on the rocks during a hurricane when entering that port about August, 14, was not correct.

THE BIG PARADE

Final Orders Sent to Admiral Sampson.

MAYOR VAN WYCK WILL WELCOME FLEET.

A Salute at the Tomb of Grant.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Washington, Aug. 19.—Final orders were sent today to Admiral Sampson relative to the naval parade at New York city on Saturday. The ships will proceed to Tomkinsville and there await the arrival of Mayor Van Wyck and a delegation of citizens who are to go aboard the flagship and deliver an address to Admiral Sampson and the men of his command. This ceremony will occur before ten o'clock Saturday morning as the orders contmplate a start up the North river at 10 o'clock. The salute at the tomb of General Grant will be the national salute of 21 guns. It is understood that Admiral Sampson will continue in command of the North Atlantic fleet while serving as a member of the military commission at Havana. It is more likely that the commissioners will proceed together on a warship, probably the Dolphin. If the commissioners do not proceed in a body, Admirals Sampson and Schley may take their respective flagships to Havana and San Juan.

STOCK EXCHANGE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

New York, Aug. 19.—The members of the Stock Exchange have adopted a resolution requesting the governing board to declare Saturday a holiday in view of the naval parade of the returning United States squadron.

STEAMER ASHORE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Nassau, Aug. 19.—The British steamer Jacob Bright, Captain Mills, from New York, August 11, for Inagua and Bluefields, is ashore on Egg Island reef. The British steamer Antilla, Captain Montell, which arrived here from New York on Aug. 15, has gone to her assistance.

VON DER AHE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

St. Louis, Mo., Aug. 19.—Word was received from Alton, Ill., that Chris von der Ahe, former president of the St. Louis base ball club was married in that city yesterday to Miss Kaiser. This is the magnate's third matrimonial venture.

CERUTTI CLAIM

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Colon, Columbia, Aug. 19, via Galveston, Tex.,—The well known Jewish firm of Solomon and Koppel at Belgium is financiering the payment of the unsettled portion of the Cerutti claim, the arrangements to culminate at the expiration of eight months. The Italian cruiser Umbria, one of the warships in the squadron under command of Admiral Candianini, now in Columbian waters in connection with the claim, arrived here yesterday but will return to Cathagini tomorrow.

CAPT. FISH

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Washington, Aug. 19.—Capt. L. R. Fish, formerly of the Third Ohio cavalry, died in this city last night. He was 57 years of age. The interment will take place at Kingston, Mass. Captain Fish was well known in the southwest after the civil war, having been connected with railronds in that section. He was also prominent in politics.

TROOPS ENOUGH.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Washington, Aug. 19.—General Shafter has informed the war department that after consulting with General Lawton, it has been concluded that it will not be necessary to send any more troops to Santiago. This statement is made with the understanding that the present military force will shortly be reinforced by the arrival of the Fifth regular corps and by the 23rd Kansas volunteers.

A BIG CLOUDBURST

Caused Great Damage In Pittsburg Today.

FIVE CHILDREN DROWNED IN THE FLOOD.

Mother Made Attempt to Save Them.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Pittsburg, Pa., Aug. 19.—A cloudburst up Sawmill Run this morning, caused a flood in that stream and endangered the lives of a dozen persons. Five children are missing and they are supposed to have been drowned. Thy are:

Irene Loftus.
Regis Loftus.
Genevieve Shaughnessy.
Margaret Shaughnessy.
Nellie Sauls.

The water in the Run began to rise this morning and at 9 o'clock a great volume of water came down. The missing children together with some older persons were standing on a porch

FROM SHAFTER

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Washington, Aug. 19.—The war department has received the following:

Santiago, Aug. 19, 1898.

To H. C. Corbin, Adjutant General, Washington:

The D. H. Miller, with the First Infantry and some stevedores has just sailed.

(Signed) Shafter, Major General.

FUNERALS.

O'LOUGHLIN—The funeral of Michael O'Loughlin, took place Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock from his late home, 6 Madison street, and was largely attended. Deceased was a very popular man who enjoyed the respect of all who knew him. Interment was in the Catholic cemetery. The bearers were: Michael Monigan, John Moriarty, James McGuane, John McMahon, Dennis Healey and Martin Slattery.

SOMERS—The funeral of Dora G. Somers took place Thursday forenoon from the home of her parents 41 Ry street Rev. Mr. Baker officiated. Interment was in the Edson cemetery.

FRYE—At the old Frye homestead on Central street, funeral services, beautiful in their simplicity, were held over the remains of Mrs. Abigail Frye, mother of the late Judge John F. Frye. Rev. Smith T. Ford officiated and the interment was in the Frye family lot in the Lowell cemetery. The bearers were relatives and intimate friends of the deceased.

McELLIGOTT.—The funeral of Miss Susan McElligott will take place tomorrow morning from the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice McElligott in North Billerica. Funeral services at St. Andrews' church in that town

CONWAY—The funeral of Michael Conway took place this morning from Undertaker Molloy's rooms. A requiem mass was celebrated by Rev. Fr. Sullivan of New York at the Immaculate Conception church, of which deceased was sexton previous to his death. The choir, under the direction of P. P. Haggerty, rendered effective musical selections. Burial was in the Catholic cemetery and the bearers were Patrick Gibbons of Lawrence, John Doherty, James Eagan, and Thomas Miles. Friends and relatives from Lawrence and New London, Conn., attended the funeral.

MORRIS.—The funeral of Francis, infant son of Francis and Julia Morris, took place this afternoon at 3 o'clock from the home of the parents, 199 Broadway. Burial was in the Catholic cemetery.

DEATHS.

HARRINGTON—Isabelle A., infant daughter of William, the well known wire clerk, and Margaret Harrington of this city died yesterday at West Acton, aged ten months. The remains arrived in Lowell this afternoon and the funeral took place from the Northern depot. Burial was in the Catholic cemetery.

HEALEY—Mrs. Mary Healey, wife of Daniel Healey died yesterday at her home, 167 High street at the advanced age of 78 years. Deceased was a member of the Immaculate Conception church and a devout Catholic.

Well known for her gentle disposition and charitable deeds she enjoyed the respect of everyone who had the pleasure of her acquaintance. Two daughters Margaret and Catherine, both of this city survive her. Interment will be in the family lot at Concord, Mass.

Good rich blood is made by Maltox.

O'TOOLE WAS SHOT

Because His Friend Threw a a Stone at a Dog.

IT IS FEARED THAT HE WILL DIE.

John Donato Charged With the Crime.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

New York, Aug. 19.—John O'Toole was shot last night because Matthew Schill, a companion of his, threw a stone at a dog in front of 410 Fifth street Jersey City. He is in a very precarious condition in the city hospital and is believed to be mortally injured.

O'Toole said he lived in Fall River, Mass. He said he and his companion were walking through a vacant lot in Fifth street when a dog appeared and began to snap and bite at them. Schill then threw a stone at the dog, when a head appeared at an upper window of 410 Fifth street and a man yelled at them and fired a pistol, the bullet striking O'Toole in the head. John Donato who lived in the house is under arrest charged with the shooting.

BREAKING CAMP.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Chickamauga National Park, Aug. 19.—The First Vermont Infantry broke camp at an early hour today and marched five miles to Rossville station, where the men boarded trains awaiting to take them to Fort Ethan Allen in their home state. The route of the Vermonters is over the Southern and Norfolk and Western lines.

The First Illinois Cavalry and the First Maine Infantry are now making preparations to return to their state capitals according to orders issued them. They are not expected to move before next week. The orders to return home were received with great enthusiasm by the men of the regiment as the majority desire to get back to civil life when there is not longer a chance of fighting. General's McKee's second division of the First corp will proceed respectively to Knoxville and Lexington early next week, according to present orders.

The various regiments are now making preparation for departure. Within ten days the army here will be reduced one half.

The work of sending away the sick soldiers is now being prosecuted in all divisions of the army. It is the disposition of the department to send home all sick men on thirty days' furlough.

The hospital train which arrived last night from Philadelphia left today with one hundred sick men from the First Pennsylvania.

A GREAT CLOTHING EVENT.

The assignees' sale of the stock of O'Hearn & Dowd which opens at 9 o'clock tomorrow promises to be the greatest bargain giving event in local trade history. Preparations are being made by the assignees through their manager, Mr. J. H. Rogers, to handle immense crowds.

Twenty extra salesmen are called for in their advertisement in this issue and the published price list in their advertisement promises a bargain carnival long to be remembered. It is to be hoped that Messrs. O'Hearn and Dowd may reach a satisfactory settlement.

LOST A WHEEL.

A wagon owned by C. M. Allen, the well known back Central street fish merchant, met with a mishap shortly before noon today, while passing through Bridge street. The wheel became caught in the street railway track and was snapped from the wagon. Bystanders caught the frightened horse at the Square, preventing what promised to be a lively runaway and possibly serious accidents.

MONEY DEPOSITED
On or before Wednesday, Sept. 3, in the Savings Department of the TRADERS' NATIONAL BANK, will draw interest from Sept. 1st, at the rate of 4 per cent. Compounded Semi-Annually.
Bank Hours { Daily, 8. a. m. to 4 p. m. Saturdays 8 a. m. to 1 p. m. 7 to 9 p. m.
Middlesex St., Cor. Post Office Avenue.
Agents for sale of U. S. Revenue Stamps.
C. J. Gilbden Pres. Wm. F. Hills, Cashier.

FOR PRESERVING TIME.—A 1 qt. Porcelain Kettle with one pound of 60c. Tea, O'Brien Bros., Tea Dealers, 77 East Merrimack street. Tel. 624-2.

James F. O'Donnell,
UNDERTAKER,
Telephone at Residence, Office, Stables.
MARKET ST., COR. WORTHEN.

ASSISTANT SURGEON.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Nashua, N. H., Aug. 19.—Governor Ransdell today commissioned Dr. Congdon of Berlin to be assistant surgeon of the First New Hampshire regiment at Chickamauga. Dr. Congdon, who has been acting as hospital steward has been selected to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Dr. J. M. Day.

COAL SHEDS BURNED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Berwick, Me., Aug. 19.—The storehouse, wood and coal sheds of George Frost were destroyed by fire this morning and the house and barn near by were considerably damaged. The family were away and the fire was apparently the work of an incendiary. The loss is $3,500 and there is an insurance of $2500.

FRANK FONTAINE

WAS COMMITTED TO JAIL IN DEFAULT OF BAIL YESTERDAY.

Frank Fontaine, the Lowell man concerned in the recent burglary of the Boston & Maine station at Bristol, N. H., was arraigned at Wandsville, yesterday. He pleaded not guilty, waived examination and in default of bail was committed to jail.

Prosperity Circle, will celebrate Foresters' Day by a dance at Foresters' hall, Saturday evening, Aug. 20. Tickets, 15 cents.

Mr. Myron Wightman, Miss Georgia Wightman and Miss Carrie B. True have gone to Canada for a few weeks.

To Cure Constipation Forever.
Take Cascarets Candy Cathartic. 10c or 25c. If C. C. C. fail to cure, druggists refund money.

Maltox will put new life in your blood.

KENT TRANSFERRED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Washington, Aug. 19.—Acting Major General Kent has been transferred from the Fifth Army Corps to the Seventh and has been ordered to report to General Lee for assignment to duty.

Putnam & Son

The thinner the Clothing a man wears in this hot weather, the happier he is.

OUR CRASH SUITS

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$1.95.

Are the thinnest, most comfortable suits we've ever seen.

They're all of this season's make, style is right, not an out about them.

The only reason for the absurdly low price is that a manufacturer with a lot of these suits on hand needed money and was willing to cut prices in halves.

We've done the same—the regular price of these suits is four dollars.

Our price, for all sizes, coat, vest and trousers,

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166 Central Street.

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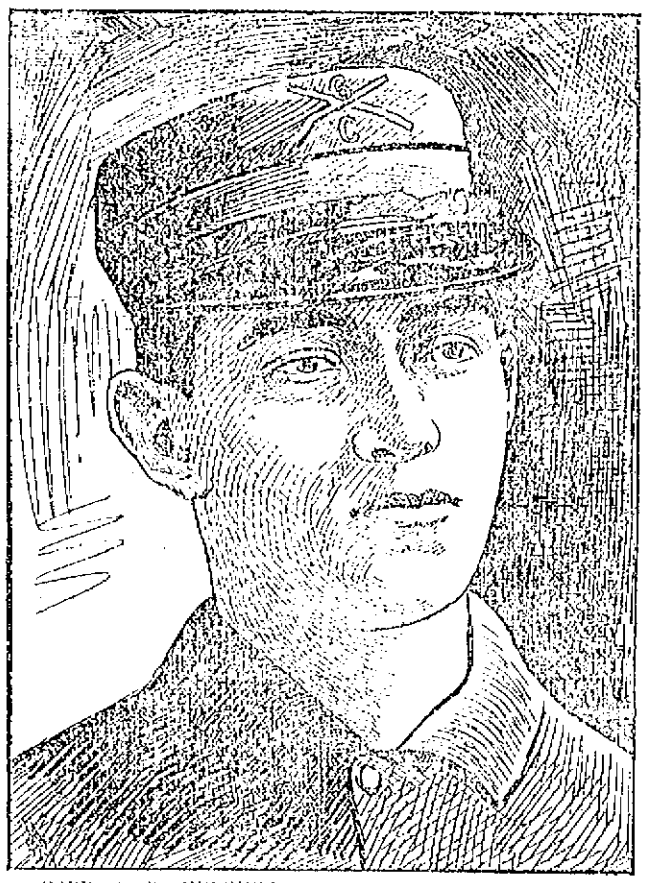
5 O'CLOCK



CORP. A. D. MITCHELL, Co. G. 6th. Mass. Regt.

LOWELL BOYS FOUGHT WELL

Acted Bravely in the Fierce Attack at Guanica.

Corporal William E. Golden Cut by a Machete and Laid up in the Hospital—Corporal Mitchell's Interesting Letter—Co. G. in the Thick of the Fire.

Below will be found several interesting letters from members of the Sixth regiment from which it appears that the Sixth and the Lowell companies in particular, did some hot fighting. Corp. Mitchell writes as follows:

Ponce Porto Rico Aug. 15 1898.

Dear Mother:

We are still in camp at Ponce with no prospect of leaving here for some time. I do not know whether or not our regiment will be moved against San Juan as yet. We have got the Spaniards hemmed in and do not anticipate much more trouble from them. I am on the outpost today with a detail of three men. We are about a mile from the camp proper stationed on a high hill from where we can view the country for miles around and see well out into the harbor. We have fruit in abundance here and while we have formed a diversion against it, there should be no fears of our dying by starvation. Just as I am writing this letter to you, one of the Ninth boys has brought in a large meal bag full of sweet corn and we are about to cook it for dinner. His name is Sicard. Willie knows him. He has a brother in Company H, and they are both Lowell boys. I got bit the night before last by a centipede on the neck. The swelling caused by the bite kept getting larger through the night but after enjoying a sleep, I woke up to find that the lump had almost disappeared and nothwithstanding that the bite was poisonous, I am feeling well and am as lively as my other comrades. The surgeon cauterized the wound. I suppose you have heard of us losing our colonel and other officers and the reasons for it. This is all at present. I remain,

Your loving son,

—Sandy.

Corp A. D. Mitchell, Co. G, 6th, Mass. Regt., Ponce, P. R.

THE FIGHTING COMPANY.

F. Wallace of Co. G. has written a letter in which he says that Co. G. Sixth Regiment, did all the fighting in an engagement they had. The letter is as follows:

Ponce, Porto Rico.
August 3, 1898.

Dear Wife:

I write you these few lines hoping to find you in good health, as this leaves me at present, thanks be to God. Dear wife, we have started on our terrible long march from one end of the island to the other; we have just arrived at this place and the boys were dropping by the wayside. We got in camp with only 18 men out of 106, so you can see how it is; but I keep up all the time. Lots of the boys are sick, but it is worth all hardships to me to see a glad look on the poor natives' faces, for the Spanish soldiers are devils. They have gone into the houses and have thrown the men out, and abused the women, and when they found out that we were coming, they drove the young girls into the mountains. They told the natives that we would kill them if we caught them so when we came, the poor women went out on the hills and remained there all night in the rain, but when they found out that we would use them all right, they came into the town again, and are all happy. The glad look in their faces would pay us for all the hardships we have to put up with. When we landed in the town first, the Spaniards fired a few shots and ran to the hill; so guards were sent out to keep firing on them and at half past two o'clock in the morning we had to get up out of our nice soft bed and go out about three miles to drive the Spaniards back. We were walking along the road never thinking they were so near, when the Spaniards, about - of them, strong, fired shot after shot into us. There were only 40 men of us and it was God alone that saved us. I had a bullet go right through my hat. We chased them out of the hills and killed and wounded 40 of them. Company G did all the fighting. We don't get any news here. They tell us the war is near over. We will all be glad when it is. The last letter I got from you was dated July 6th. Kiss the baby for me; tell father and mother that I am well. Goodbye. Hoping soon to see you all I remain.

Ever your loving husband.

—F. Wallace.

CORPORAL GOLDEN.

Corporal William E. Golden of Company G, Sixth regiment, has many friends in this city who will be pleased to hear from him. In a letter to a friend, he writes:

Ponce, Porto Rico.

August 6th, 1898.

Dear George:

I am still living and in good health only I have been laid up with a cut on the foot from a machete for a week. I will be all right in a few days. When we landed on this island we had a pretty hot fight in the town of Guanica, and Company G was in the hottest of the fight. There was only one killed and six wounded in the Sixth regiment, and the Spaniards had 80 killed and 40 wounded. There were 500 Spaniards and the Sixth regiment was driving them all alone. They had new rifles, and we had the old American Springfields and they could fire six shots to our one, but we are going to get the Krag-Jorgenson, the best in the world, today. We marched eight miles to the town of Yauco and capture that and then with five hours' sleep and some hard tack and a drink of water, we were put on a forced march of 22 miles to this town with the men falling all along the road and if you would lag back, the officer would make you brace up and they said any man who dropped out would be shot. George, they treat us terrib'y. Our doctor came and looked at me and ordered me to the hospital. I was in a Spanish hospital and they treated me better than the Americans. I was there two days and there were 18 privates and 2 Spanish officers in there. All the big houses are flying the same flag. We have had several skirmishes with the Spaniards since. All kinds of fruit grow here, pineapples, cocoanuts and lemons and all kinds of bananas and the natives do not wear much clothes. I will write more in my next letter. Our colonel and lieutenant-colonel and two captains and Major Taylor and the chaplain all had

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A VERMONT MAN

He Was Found in a Bath Tub Dead.

HAD ENDED HIS LIFE IN NEW YORK.

Whither He Had Gone With Friends.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

New York, Aug. 19.- Arnold Wyman, 72 years old of Brattleboro, Vt., was found dead today in the bath tub of a house at 675 Second avenue, having shot himself in the mouth. He was fully dressed. He had muffled the revolver, so that the shots were not heard.

Wyman and S. O. Miner of Brattleboro went to the Astor House yesterday morning and registered. They were not assigned to a room and went out. A few hours later Miner returned with Frank D. Moffatt, registered with him and was assigned to a room. The men then went to the police and asked that a general alarm be sent out for Wyman, who they said had been lost.

Wyman appears to have gone to 675 Second avenue, a furnished room house kept by George Smith. He had a list of such houses. He took a half bedroom on the second floor at $2 a week, paying 50 cents on account and stating that he would pay the rest when his trunk came. He went out but returned an hour later with a bundle.

Mr. and Mrs. George Coutant, who occupy the room next to the bathroom found Wyman this morning dead in the bath tub. His right hand clutched a 32-calibre revolver, the muzzle covered with a handkerchief. The body was stiff, showing that the man had been dead some hours. No letters were left by the suicide. A bottle of chloroform labelled brandy was found in the room. In his clothing a gold watch and 35 cents were found.

THE NINTH REGIMENT.

Santiago de Cuba, via Hayti, Aug. 18. —J. D. Moriarty Company E, Ninth Massachusetts regiment, died here today. He had a relapse of typhoid fever. The regiment has drawn only one day's rations.

The men expect to go north before the end of the week.

There are 115 men on the sick list. The hospital ship Bay State has not yet arrived.

Senator Corbett has had the bodies of Majors Grady and O'Connor disinterred preparatory to taking them north.

—J. C. O'Leary.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Spaulding and Mr. A. G. Walsh's family are in Bennington, N. H.

SERIOUS CHARGE

Against Mr. Hallinan—Held in $1000.

THE FERRYS TRIED FOR BURGLARY.

The Hearing in Court This Morning.

P. J. Hallinan, a tailor who has been about town for some time, was arrested in The Bon Marche building last night on the charge of attempted rape. It is alleged that he hired a room for the night and enticed two young girls into it. He is said to have locked the door and then attempted to assault the younger girl. Her screams, however, attracted the attention of the occupants of the block and the police were notified. Capt. Kew, Lieut. Brosnan, and Officers Ryan and Maher soon arrived on the scene, entered the room, and took Hallinan to the station.

P. J. Hallinan, charged with rape, had his case continued until next Wednesday, he being ordered in the sum of $1000.

POLICE COURT.

The court room was crowded this morning, many being attracted by the celebrated case against Peter Ferry Sr., and Peter Ferry, Jr., for alleged breaking, entering and robbing the residences of Agent Peal of the Merrimack Mfg. company and A. A. Huggett. The father is also charged with receiving and disposing of stolen property. The testimony of both defendants clashed in relation to who committed the crime each accusing the other. A corps of witnesses testified against both. The father was held in $600 for his appearance at the superior court while the boy was continued until next Friday.

Only one drunk escaped unscathed. Three were fined $1. Catherine McNiff received four months to the common jail and Mary F. Gloss three months in the workhouse. Thomas Guthrie was found guilty of being a common drunkard and was sent to the state farm for a period of eight months.

John J. Barrett refused to support his wife and was fined $20.

Alfred Clark was fined $7.80 for assaulting William Sawyer.

GOLD HUNTERS COMING

By Associated Press to The Sun.

San Francisco, Aug. 19.—Three schooners with gold hunters are scheduled to arrive in this city from the east. Of these the Mildred F., now out 101 days from Boston, is the only one likely to get here. The Artasa party when last heard from, was stranded at Buenos Ayres and the Stowell Sherman's crew was in the same predicament at Montevideo. The Artasa is 174 days out from New York, and the Sherman 268 days from Boston.

ROBERTS WANTED.

Where is Samuel D. Roberts?

If he will call at Room 24, Central Block, he will hear something to his advantage.

COL. LAWRENCE J. LOGAN of the Ninth Regiment.

LIEUT. LOGAN

APPOINTED COLONEL OF THE NINTH.

Lieut. C. L. Lawrence J. Logan was last night appointed to the vacant colonelcy of the 9th Massachusetts volunteers by Gov. Wolcott.

Since the death of Col. Bogan, the position of colonel of this regiment has been sought by the friends of the several candidates, who on applications for the place have been respectfully referred to the governor.

He is very, was of the belief that the honor of leading the regiment had been justly earned by the lieutenant colonel, who had at the sacrifice of personal comfort and business interests led the regiment to the front and on whom the care of it had fallen when the colonel was called to come home.

Gov. Wolcott signed the commission at the home of Gen. Sohier in Beverly at 7.30 last evening and handed it to Senator James J. Gallivan, who has been one of the most active in pushing the claim that did it. Col. Logan should not be overlooked.

Mr. Gallivan lost no time in reaching the home of Col. Logan in South Boston and communicating to his family the good of his advancement.

The news was joyfully received by the friends of the new colonel but as he was on duty with his regiment [illegible] the honor [illegible] was not communicated to him, but the commission was [illegible] with his son Edward, to be given [illegible] him this morning.

CITY OF LOWELL

The Old Engine Pumped by Butler "Vets."

IT MADE A REMARKABLY GOOD SHOWING

And Came in for Fourth Prize.

The play-out in the firemen's muster today was a great affair. Records were broken and had it not been for an unfortunate occurrence the Gen. Butler company of Lowell would have made a mark that would have stood for years to come.

What little wind there was favored the stream.

Of the 31 entries, 28 went on the playing stand and at the close there was a new record. The record of 212 feet, 7½ inches, made by the Watch City of Waltham, at Hartford, Conn., Sept. 12, 1895, was beaten both by the City of Lynn and by the Deluge of Cambridge. The Gen. Butler of Lowell made a splendid play, and would very likely have won had they not made a blunder. Their play showed a mark of 218 feet, but they forgot the drawback, reducing it to 210 feet 2 inches. In their excitement a nut was injured and it was impossible to work their full crew on the second trial.

Only one accident marred the day. While the Bostons were playing, the pipe got away and hit Albert Egerton of Revere. He did not at first know he was hurt but after the play was over he fell in convulsions. He was removed to a hotel and was later reported doing well.

The following was the result of the playout:

City of Lynn, Lynn, Mass	212	8½
Deluge, Cambridge, Mass	213	5½
City of Somerville Somerville	211	2½
City of Lowell, Lowell, Mass	210	2
Kennebec, Brunswick, Me	208	7½
Nonantum Newton, Mass	208	4½
Winsler, New Bedford, Mass	208	2½
Hawkesse, South Gardner, Mass.	200	8⅝
Veteran Charlestown, Mass	199	11¾
Watch City, Waltham, Mass	199	11¾
Roxbury Vets, Roxbury, Mass	199	5½
City of Homes Springfield, Mass	197	5½
Gen. Putnam, Worcester, Mass.	195	3½
Unitas, Peabody, Mass	192	5½
Gulf Stream, Fall River, Mass	190	8
Tekoosnow Woonsocket, R. I.	190	5½
White Angel, Salem, Mass.	190	
Hartford, Hartford, Conn	189	10½
Tiger, Newburyport, Mass	187	6½
Eagle, Lynn, Mass	185	7
Chauncey, Hyde Park, Mass	184	5½
Boston Vet, Boston, Mass	178	9⅝
Torrent Manchester, N. H.	176	8
Water Witch, Pittsfield, Mass	176	4½
J. W. Plaisted Portland, Me	175	9½
Veteran, Chelsea, Mass.	173	11
Piscataqua, Portsmouth N. H.	169	5½
New London New London, Ct.	165	3½

Judges, Asst. Chief Wm. T. Cheswell, Boston; Chairman Chief F. B. Moody of Dorring; Chief Frank Morse of Bath, Chief C. M. Drake of Gardner, Ex-Chief W. A. Green of Boston, Ex-Chief Edward A. Mott of Taunton. Official timekeeper, David T. Adamson of Boston.

Springfield took the prize for the best appearing company. Pittsfield received the trumpet offered by Mrs. James W. Plaisted to the company coming the greatest distance; in this case, 268 miles. Charlestown had the most men in line, and the consolation prize given to the company making the shortest play, went to New London.

TWO ALARMS

LIVELY FIRE THIS MORNING ON TYLER STREET.

An alarm from box 53 this forenoon at 10.30 o'clock summoned the fire department to quite a lively blaze in the double house, 26 and 28 Tyler street owned by Foreman Charles O. Ball of the Mail. It was caused by an oil stove in the ell of the building.

The blaze extended up through three stories and although quickly subdued by the firemen considerable damage was done by the smoke and water. Mr. Ball occupied one side of the building and a family named Lathrop the other.

While the fire laddies were at work on the Tyler street fire, an unnecessary alarm came in from box 21 at the corner of Kirk and Merrimack street. It seems that no one can tell what caused the alarm.

SHORT RATIONS

ON SOME OF THE GOLD SEEKING VESSELS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

San Francisco, Aug. 19.—Information from Kotzebue Sound states that the bark Alaska was at St. Lawrence Island, July 16. Patrick L. Noonan, a passenger on the J. L. Falkenburg, writes under date of June 28, that they had arrived safely and launched their boats. C. D. Lane, of the Utica Mine, who is one of the party, went ashore and examined the black sand on the beach which he said was an indication of gold further inland.

The revenue cutter Bear called on July 16 on her way north. The bark Mermaid, which was at anchor there, was reported short of food and it was said that Captain Wickes had left the vessel.

ALDERMAN HOLBROOK

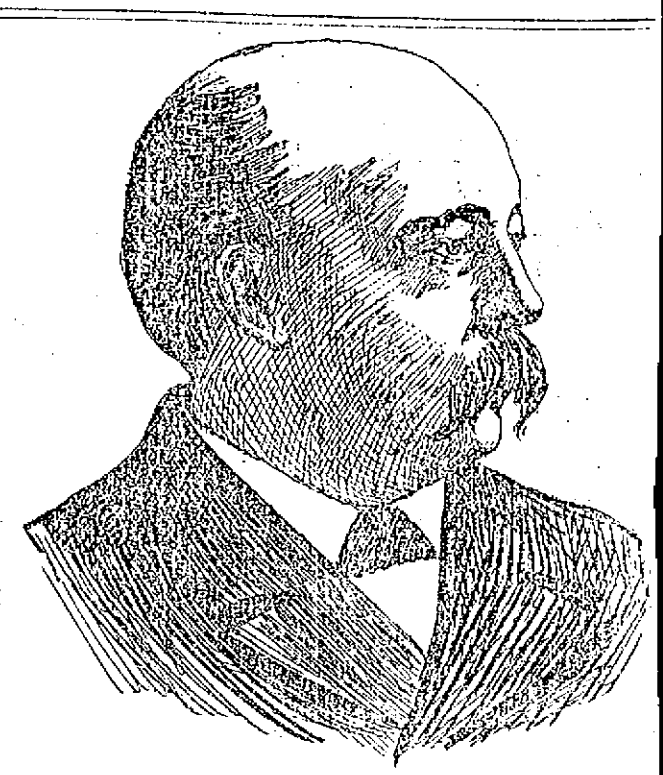
DID NOT FAVOR RECONSIDERATION ON GORHAM STREET MATTER.

Alderman Cosgrove made the statement last night at the meeting of the aldermen that Alderman Holbrook would vote for reconsideration in the Gorham street matter. A friend of the latter informs The Sun that Alderman Holbrook would not favor reconsideration at this stage, as in common with Col. Dinan, and others, he believes that the interests of the public require that the portion of Gorham street under discussion should be put in proper condition as soon as possible as the public safety and convenience demand it. If an accident should occur there while the railroad is blocked in its work, the city would be liable. The motion to reconsider was wisely defeated.

THE WEATHER.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

[illegible] Boston and vicinity: [illegible] weather during the late afternoon or night. Fair Saturday, winds shifting to westerly.



SENATOR CUSHMAN K. DAVIS, Who Has Accepted an Appointment as One of the Five American Peace Commissioners.

ELECTION DATES

Gathered From the Revised Election Laws.

TIME FOR HOLDING MEETINGS AND CONVENTIONS

In Towns and Cities of the State.

It will be of much help to the politicians who are perplexed over the many and complicated provisions of the revision of the election laws to paste in their hats the chronology of events to occur under that law, says the Boston correspondent of the Springfield Republican, as it is issued by the Republican State committee. The calendar was made by one who had a material share in framing the revision of the law, and so it is presumably correct in its fidelity to the spirit, as well as to the letter of the law. Registration in Boston began July 1 and will continue with various regulations until Oct. 19. The remainder of the calendar is as follows:

Sept. 27, 28.—On one of these two dates the republicans of every city and town must hold caucuses for choice of delegates to the state, congressional, councillor, senatorial and county conventions, and except as hereinafter provided for delegates to representative conventions and for nomination of candidates for the General Court.

Sept. 30.—Last day for appointing election officers in cities.

Oct. 1—Last day for assessment in Boston.

Oct. 4, 5.—On one of these two dates caucuses for choice of delegates to a representative district convention or for nomination of candidates for the General Court may be held.

Oct. 8, 10 a. m.—Republican state convention at Music hall, Boston. Registration opens in Boston in the several wards from 8 p. m. to 10 p. m.

Oct. 8.—Last day for registrars of voters in every city and town except Boston to post in each voting precinct preliminary alphabetical lists of voters. Last day for designating polling places.

Oct. 8.—Last day for holding conventions for nominating candidates to be voted for at large throughout the State, but certificates of nomination of such candidates must be filed at the office of the secretary of state by 5 p. m.*

Oct. 12—Earliest day for holding representative conventions.

Oct. 15—Last day for appointing election officers in towns.

Oct. 15.—Nomination paper for candidates to be voted for at large throughout the state must be filed at the office of the secretary of state by 5 p.m.*

Oct. 18—Last day for petitioning for the appointment of supervisors of elections.

Oct. 19.—Registration closes in Boston at 10 p. m. Last day for registration in all cities. Upon this day every registry of voters must be kept open from 12 o'clock noon (in Boston from 9 a. m. until 10 p. m.

Oct. 20.—Last day for holding conventions for nominating candidates for state officers not voted for at large throughout the state, but certificates of such nominations must be filed at the office of the secretary of state by 5 p. m.*

Oct. 21.—Nomination paper of candidates not voted for at large throughout the state must be filed at the office of the secretary of state by 5 p. m.*

Oct. 25.—Last day for filing complaint against incorrect and illegal registration in cities.

Oct. 31—Registration in towns closes at 10 p. m.

Nov. 1—Last day for filing vacancies among election officers.

Nov. 4—Last day for filing complaint against incorrect and illegal registration in towns.

Nov. 8.—State election.

*Objections to nominations must be made within the 72 hours after the last hour for filing nomination papers.

Miss Nellie Merrill of 432 Central street is in Charlestown, the guest of her aunt. From thence she will proceed to the White Mountains.

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BICYCLE NEWS.

At the professional races in Green Bay, Wis., Wednesday, Plugger Bill Martin made a great win in the mile open.

Three professional races were on the card, not one being run of the original four scheduled. "Plugger Bill" developed as a new star when he spread out an open length ahead of the good field in the mile open, pounding his 107 gear with all his power, which is not inconsiderable, and winning a fine contest.

"Plugger Bill's" win of the one mile open was probably one of the most remarkable efforts of the season. Martin rode with a 107 gear, the largest used in an open race in this country at the shortest distance.

In the final Martin gained the front at the turn and with his back wabbling up and down and every muscle of his body in play he came to the tape a winner and a full length to the good of Stevens, who was a shade ahead of Major Taylor, Bald, Freeman, Becker, Cooper and McFarland being left back in the bunch and all fighting. The time, 2m 19s, is evidence that the race was fast, for the track was exceedingly rough and the race was run 10 feet from the pole.

The National Track association racing team yesterday attached three tracks outside of Boston on account of back salary from the association. Some of the members are owed nearly $100 each and have taken this legal method of collecting their money, in which they hope to be backed up by the L. A. W. racing board.

The tracks attached have never paid in their assessments to the N. C. T. A., as agreed. Charles River Park, or rather the Massachusetts Athletic association has practically supported the team. Each man has a contract approved by the racing board, in which it is agreed that he shall be paid a certain amount each week, ranging from $7 to $15, according to ability. As Charles River Park's management has paid in really more than it owed the men, it will not be included in the list of attached tracks. Mr. L. H. Adams of Springfield is the treasurer.

This action on the part of the racers will probably result in the closing of at least three tracks within a radius of 100 miles of New York, which are included in the attachments.

The N. C. T. A. pacemakers have been approached to "get up" for Edward Taylor, the French rider, in a race against Michael. Taylor has been using the allied Shafer and American association teams in his races heretofore, and as a race between him and Michael would be a hot one, sure to draw a crowd, the American association is thinking seriously of promoting it. One of the National pacers said yesterday: "If we ever do 'get up' for Taylor against Michael we will put it on to Jimmy for fair."

Arthur K. Peck, secretary and treasurer of the Massachusetts Division, L. A. W., started yesterday for Gunbar, Mont., to tour through the famous Yellowstone Park on his bicycle. Mr. Peck will be accompanied by Mr. N. G. Redfield of the County National bank New Haven, Conn. It is their purpose to combine, camping, mountain climbing and fishing with their cycling trip.

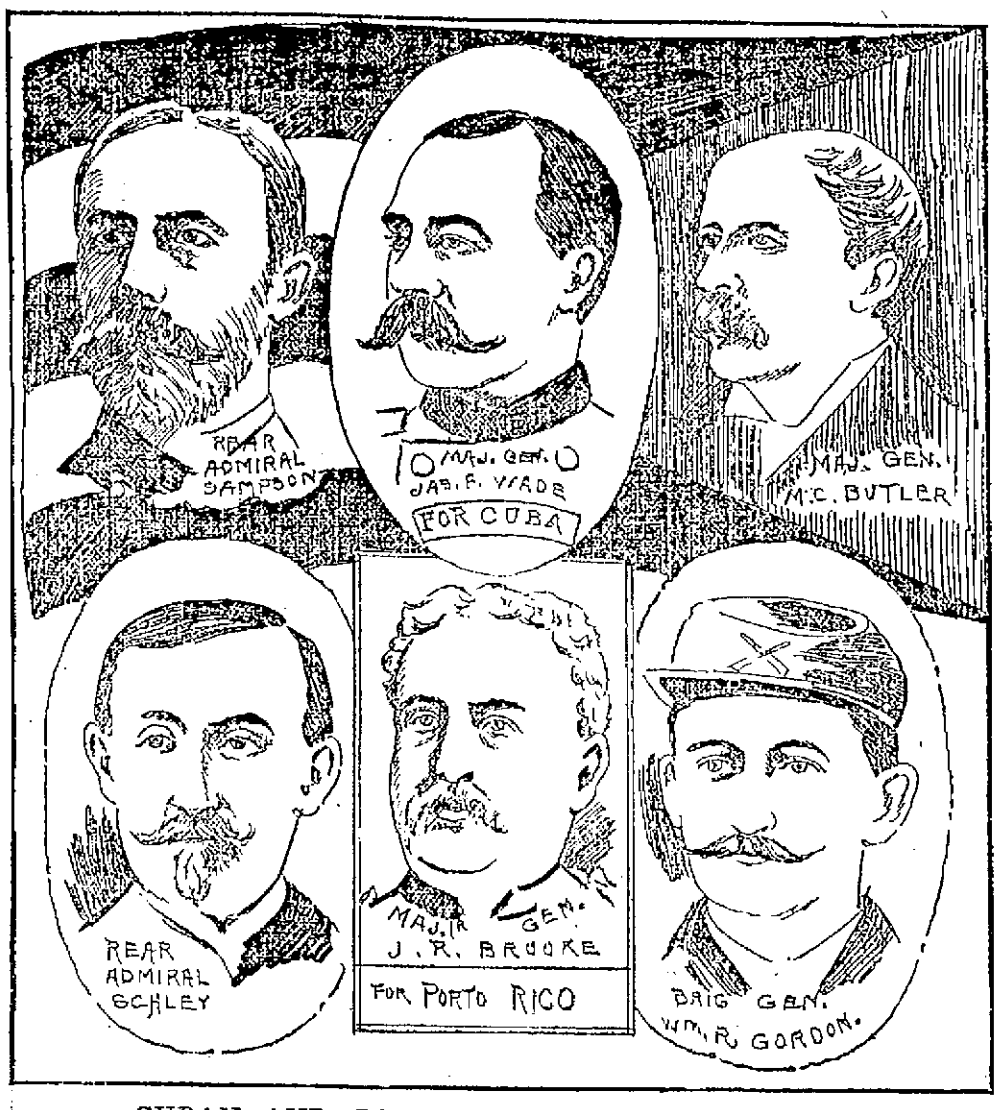
On Saturday, Sept. 10, at Hartsuff Cycle Park, Rockland, there will be a diamond race meet. There will be two amateur and one professional event. The one-mile amateur handicap will be for diamonds valued at $35, $25, and $15 and the two-mile amateur handicap race will be for diamonds of the same value. Three prizes will be given in the mile professional handicap, to be divided as follows: $10, $20, and $10. Kid St. Onge, the trick cyclist, will also give an exhibition.

Frank Waller, accompanied by Chas. G. Percival, left yesterday for Baltimore, where Waller has a 24-hour race on with Louis Gima. Waller's pacemakers, to the number of sixteen, will go on later, under the management of W. F. Stafford.

Messrs. Knapp, Gray, Booth and Denny of the Tigers, who left in April on a transcontinental trip, have split. Gray and Denny are in Indian Territory and Knapp and Booth in Colorado.

MATRIMONIAL.

Mr. George F. Haskell, formerly of Lowell and Miss Laura Munroe of Concord Junction were married Thursday afternoon at the home of the bride, Rev. H. E. Hinckley of Lowell, a former room-mate of the bridegroom, officiated. Many useful presents were bestowed upon the young couple. After a short wedding trip they will be "at home" at Concord Junction, Sept. 1.



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ALDERMEN CUT UP PRANKS

Heated Discussion Characterized the Meeting Last Night.

Goward and Tuttle Try to Vote on a Motion That Was Defeated at the Previous Meeting—Members Refuse to Serve on a Conference Committee.

The aldermen got into a great mix-up last night, and the feeling that has ben engendrd as t rsult of the street railroad fight cropped out at times.

Charges and denials were indulged in and for a time excitement reigned. It all grew out of the attempt of Aldermen Goward and Tuttle to have their vote recorded on a motion presented at the last meeting and on which they refused to vote at the time.

When Alderman Rivet presented his motion to allow the street railway company to continue the work of paving Gorham street, both the aldermen mentioned refused to vote. Their action was criticised in the press and last night they sought the opportunity to go on record.

Mr. Goward spoke of his refusal to vote at the last meeting and of the criticism that had been directed at him as the result of his action. It seemed he said, that an alderman had no right to take under deliberation a matter of such grave importance.

"I obtained my desire, though in a roundabout way, and I request the clerk to record me as voting no on the resolution."

"I shall take the same ground," said Mr. Tuttle "and I ask to have my vote recorded in the negative."

Mr. Peirce and Gen. Dimon raised the point that this action was irregular and the former suggested that it might raise a question in litigation.

Mr. Goward defended his action as being sustained by precedent.

Mr. Peirce said that the records had never been tampered with before and could not now. The gentlemen had been sitting on the fence for two days and if the pickets protruded through their coat tails and they wished now to change their minds, he was willing to give them every opportunity, if it could be done legally.

Mr. Cosgrove said that the action was in order.

Mr. Libby said he had not absorbed as much parliamentary law as some of the other gentlemen, but if the chair ruled that the action was in order, then a vote might be recorded for a year back.

Alderman Dimon insisted the matter was settled at the last meeting and nothing further could be done.

"In defiance of the rules of the board these two gentlemen refused to have their votes recorded at the last meeting," said Mr. Peirce. "The whole thing now is a parliamentary tangle that may lead to litigation in which the city may be a loser."

"I shall decide that neither one has the right to change his vote," said the mayor.

"We don't ask to change our vote," said Mr. Goward.

"I should say, the right to vote," corrected the mayor. "This matter has been up for two months and these gentlemen asked for no further time."

"I asked for two days," said Mr. Goward.

"And it was voted down," replied the mayor.

Alderman Derby was then recognized and said:

"I remember that at the last meeting the gentleman after he tried to get action postponed until this evening, said that he was not going to have anyone force him to vote."

Said Mr. Rivet: "I didn't want to mention this, but one of these gentlemen who failed to vote pushed me on at the last meeting to make a test case of the railroad."

"I was the one who asked to have the matter brought up at he last meeting," said Mr. Derby.

"If the gentleman referred to me," said Mr. Goward, "he is mistaken. I asked him not to put it in that night."

"It is my impression that you did," replied Mr. Rivet.

"I ask the clerk to read the record of the last adjournment," said Gen. Dimon. "I ask the mayor if he did not inform me that the meeting could be held next Thursday week?"

"I did not," answered the mayor emphatically.

"I understood you to. I ask for the record."

Clerk Dadman read from a stenomatter brought up at the last meeting" The meeting had been adjourned to "Thursday next."

Gen. Dimon said that he had the satisfaction of knowing that the record was less abrupt and more polite than the mayor's answer to his question.

Mr. Cosgrove asked to have his motion of reconsideration brought up.

The city clerk read the resolution. The vote on the question of reconsideration was as follows: Yea, Cosgrove, Derby, Goward, Tuttle; nay, Dimon, Libby, Peirce, Rivet; absent, Holbrook.

Mr. Libby moved the appointment of a committe of two to confer with the Lowell & Suburban to see if the company would not finish the paving between the rails with some other material than that now being used.

The mayor asked him to submit it in writing.

While this was being done, Gen. Dimon asked whether there was not new business to come in from the sewer committee.

Mr. Goward introduced two resolutions for new sewers. He said that in view of the imperative necessity for the sewers, he would move that the customary seven days be dispensed with and that the resolutions be passed at once. The first resolution was for the protection of Hale's brook, as petitioned for by the board of health.

It was voted that the committe's report recommending the passage of the resolution be not referred to the city clerk's office. The resolution for the sewer in Howard and Tanner streets was then taken up. The damages for land taken were awarded at one cent for each of the several abutters.

The resolution received its second reading.

Gen. Dimon said that he understood that the sewer to abate the nuisance would cost $12,000.

The mayor replied that Supt. Cheney had given him an estimate of $15,000.

When the vote came on the final passage Mr. Derby said that he did not care to vote, since he did not understand the matter. "And I won't ask to have my vote recorded later," he said.

The resolution was given its final passage, 6 to 1, Mr. Peirce in the negative.

The brewery sewer was then taken up. The estimated cost was placed at $1800, of which $1000 was for land damages.

Mr. Peirce said that he should again vote in the negative, because he believed that the action of the meeting was irregular.

He said that outside of the irregularity of action, he favored the construction of both sewers.

Then Mr. Libby's motion for a conference committee was read.

Mr. Derby said that to say that he was astonished and surprised at the motion was putting it lightly. After voting away the rights of 85,000 people, and voting against themselves, he thought it a wonder that the motion was offered. He believed that there was a right and a wrong to the question, and that the public believed that the city had taken the wrong end from the start. He would not cry baby, he said, but take his medicine and let the city pay for it, if he was the member.

Mr. Cosgrove said that he had never seen such a case of crawfish as displayed in the meeting.

He told of an executive meeting of the aldermen, at which eight members had been present and had agreed to stand together against the street railway. There was an example of crawfish without precedent in the history of the city, he thought.

"I shall ask," he said in conclusion, "to have Dr. Holbrook's vote recorded on the question voted upon tonight."

"If they have all got through opening their little vials of wrath, I would like to say a word," said Mr. Libby in reply. He said that if the company was willing to lay block paving, it might be willing to lay some paving satisfactory to the "weeping" members of the board. He did not see where the crawfish came in.

"It gives some members an opportunity to talk to the gallery," he continued, "but that cuts no ice with me. I am not talking for political capital."

"May I ask a question?" asked Mr. Cosgrove.

"You may, but I am not here to answer conundrums," replied Mr. Libby.

Mr. Cosgrove wanted to know, in view of the vote of the board, what there was to confer about.

Mr. Libby pronounced the question a conundrum and declined to answer.

Mr. Cosgrove amended to make the committee of conference four members.

Motion amended and passed. Messrs. Libby, Derby, Cosgrove and Goward appointed.

Mr. Derby refused to serve. "I would be ashamed to serve," he said.

Mr. Cosgrove refused to serve. "Upon my soul," he said, "if I was Mr. Sullivan of the railroad I would refuse an interview."

"I would be tempted to kick the man down stairs," added Mr. Derby.

Mr. Goward refused to serve on the committee. Alderman Cosgrove's motion was ruled out of order.

It was voted to pave a small portion of Jackson street. There was some discussion on the resolution to pave a portion of Westford street with smooth paving. The resolution was passed unanimously. The paving is to be from curb to rail betwen Smith and School streets.

Mr. Derby introduced an order for the paving of Allen street with concrete, similar to that used by the street railway instead of smooth paving not specified.

Mr. Peirce in behalf of the people living on the street and passing through it, protested against concrete.

Mr. Derby's order for concrete was put and declared lost but doubted. On a yea and nay vote, the order was passed, 6 to 2. Messrs. Libby and Peirce in the negative.

COMMON COUNCIL.

The common council held a special session last evening, Councilman Garvey in the chair and Councilman Markland acting as clerk.

A joint resolution for the refunding of $5 in license fees to the following named persons who had paid in sums for fees for swill licenses, was passed. Sybil Richardson, O. Merrill, John F. Farr, N. A. Glidden Fred N. Haskell, C. A. Hamblett O. J. Coburn, G. P. Dadmun, James Bowers and C. H. Denison.

The joint resolution for the borrowing and appropriating of $40,000 for the construction of sewers came up.

Councilman Wiggin wanted to know how much money there is in the treasury.

Before any person present undertook to answer, Councilman Dana moved that the resolution be laid on the table, as there wasn't enough members to pass it legally.

The motion was lost and before any further action was taken, Councilman McCluskey moved that a recess be taken and it was so voted.

The recess ended at 9 o'clock.

A communication from the president and treasurer of the Tremont Bicycle club with reference to the poor condition of the crosswalks on Moody street, was read and referred to the joint committee on sewers.

The sewer resolution then came up for final passage.

Councilman Wilder thought the sewer committee must be incompetent, inasmuch as it had an appropriation of $20,000 the first of the year, and knew it couldn't get any more. "It has gone across private land at great expense," he said, "and if it had more money, it would be incompetent to spend it."

Councilmen Markham, McCluskey and Garvey spoke strongly in favor of going on with the sewer work.

Before any action was taken, the meeting adjourned until this evening.

TROOP F. CAVALRY

GENERAL ORDER FOR ANNUAL TOUR OF DUTY.

Troop F, Cavalry of North Chelmsford is to have its annual tour of duty and field day as set forth in the following order:

GENERAL ORDERS NO. 1.

1. In compliance with special orders No. 85, A. G. O., dated July 29th, 1898, this Troop will perform its annual tour of duty and field day at the State Camp grounds South Framingham, in connection with the First Battalion of Cavalry, Aug. 27th to Sept 3rd inclusive.

2. The members will assemble at their respective armories at 4 o'clock a. m., Aug. 27th, receive their equipment and be prepared to make the journey to camp in the saddle. Detachments 2 and 3 will await the arrival of Detachment 1. Detachment 4 will connect with the Troop before its arrival at Concord, about 7.30 a. m.

3. Dress and armament for the march will be campaign hat, blue woolen shirt, black string tie, trousers, boots or leggins spurs carbine and sabre. Overcoats will be rolled and strapped to cantel of saddle. Blouses will be carried in baggage wagon. Fatigue caps will not be taken. Officers and noncommissioned officers will wear guantlet gloves.

4. Enlisted men will be required to do their own stable work and will provide themselves with curry combs and brushes. The Q. M. Sergt. will provide stable tools. U. S. haversacks and mess kits will be issued and the latter will be used instead of crockery throughout this tour of duty. No intoxicating liquors will be allowed in camp. Competent cooks will be engaged but no waiters will be employed.

5. Members will provide themselves with a good, sound horse, of good size and in good condition, as all horses will be inspected and those unfit for service will be rejected.

6. Tent parties should be made up before going to camp. Two of the Troop's camp chests will be allowed in each tent. Members will have their bedding and extra clothing packed in camp chests at their respective armories Monday night, August 22d, ready for shipment.

7. First Sergeant Edward H. Keyes will assign quarters for men and horses.

8. Passes or invitations will not be issued, but visitors will be admitted when vouched for by some commissioned officer.

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Mr. Mark Walsh, of Southwick Building, 90 Prescott street, says: "I fell from the third floor with an elevator on which was a safe. I was taken to the hospital with some broken ribs, recovered, and returned to my employment. Kidney trouble developed, a bad backache, followed by painful urination and a tendency to gravel. If sitting, it was next to impossible to rise so great and acute were the pains. I felt that I should put myself under the doctors, but before doing so, I read about Doan's Kidney Pills, and what they were doing in Lowell and sent to Ellingwood & Co.'s, Merrimack and Central streets, and got a box. I took them as directed, and was helped at once. I now have no trouble of any kind, my back is all right, and the urinary difficulty is entirely corrected, and it was Doan's Kidney Pills that did it. I am recommending them highly and you may send anyone to me and I will tell them my experience. If they helped me, they will help them."

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USED A CATAMARAN.

New York, Aug. 19.—The members of the racing committee of the Seawanhaka-Corinthian Yacht club—and the other devotees of the sport who journeyed to Montreal and witnessed the unsuccessful attempts of Clinton H. Crane and his confreres to win back the challenge cup, held by the Royal St. Lawrence Yacht club, came back to the city Thursday. There is a great feeling of dissatisfaction because representatives of the Canadian club insisted upon taking advantage of the literal phrasing of the challenge and defending the cup with a catamaran.

Charles W. Wetmore, one of the members of the race committee that selected the Seawanhaka, said: "We consider it an unfair test of the relative merits of the two designers that a catamaran was selected and we were compelled to race against such a type of boat. Catamarans have always been a class by themselves, and as such the members of the Seawanhaka-Corinthian club will always regard them. The Royal St. Lawrence club has defeated our boat, but few yachtsmen will consider the victory as other than gained by a clever evasion of the spirit of the challenge, and one which will go far toward injuring the future of the sport which we are all attached to."

OUTRAGE BY WHITECAPS.

Parkersburg, W. Va., Aug. 19.—About 250 or 350 men disguised as "whitecaps" visited the house of Susie Colston, North Smithfield, Wetzell county, and dragged the inmates, six women and three men, out of bed. No time was given them to get their clothes, money or valuables. The house was then blown to pieces with three sticks of dynamite. The inmates were tarred and feathered, and then taken to the Shuman House and all locked in a room together till daylight. No effort was made to discover who did the act, and the popular sentiment is that nothing wrong was done.

CURTAILMENT IN FALL RIVER.

Fall River, Aug. 19. — Secretary Rounseville of the executive committee of the Manufacturers' association says that nothing had yet been decided concerning the latest curtailment. Work is going on in the direction of obtaining signatures, but it seems to be agreed among many treasurers that the required 1,500,000 spindles will not be secured. It is believed, however, that some form of curtailment will begin next week, or the week following.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

The residence of E. E. Smith of Cranston, R. I., together with all the furniture, was destroyed by fire, entailing a loss of $6000. The fire was caused by the overturning of a lamp.

John Pattala, who fractured the skull of John Rinki during a drunken row in Fitchburg four weeks ago, was given two years in the house of correction for manslaughter by the superior court justice.

Coney Hitchu was killed and several others were injured in a trolley car wreck near Newcastle, Pa. As a trolley was rounding a curve it jumped the track in front of a train. Hitchu was horribly crushed.

AN UNPROVOKED KILLING.

Newport News, Aug. 19. — Private Alonzo Andrews of company I, One Hundred and Sixtieth Indiana regiment, was shot and killed, and Private Jacob Altmiere of the same company was wounded in the foot by a negro named Hall. Both of the men formerly lived at Elwood, Ind. The shooting seems to have been unprovoked. Hall was in a buggy when it occurred, and his horse was on a gallop. He rose and fired out of the back of the vehicle. The negro was arrested and jailed, but the feeling against him was so intense that the sheriff took him out of the town for safekeeping. Bloodfield is under martial law.

MARION S. WON.

INTERESTING RACE ON THE FAIR GROUNDS.

An exciting horse trotting race between "Marion S," owned by O. H. Stafford, and Sinia Gauthier's "Black Prince," was attended by about 200 friends of the owners of the animals.

It was the best three heats in five, and Marion S. won in three straight heats. Time, 2.27, 2.37 and 2.36. A purse of $100 went to the winner. In the first heats, Marion S. won from her opponent easily. In the third she fell and but for the presence of mind of "Doc" Evans, who was driving her, a serious accident might have occurred. Another race of less importance was held as a side issue.

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SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL.

The Daughters of America held their regular meeting in Old Odd Fellows hall Thursday evening. Councilor Ella M. Sawyer presided. Only the routine business of the hour was transacted.

Lowell lodge K. of P. held its regular meeting last night. The chancellor commander was in the chair. Only routine business was transacted.

Bay State Colony U.O.P.F. held a special meeting last night. The meeting was called to see whether the colony would hold weekly meetings or only twice a month. It was voted to hold meetings every second and fourth Thursdays in the month.

Wannalancit Encampment I.O.O.F held its regular meeting in Old Fellows Temple last evening. The committees appointed to arrange for attending to the celebration in Boston were to make their reports. Owing to the stormy weather only a small attendance was present; therefore no action was taken.

Lowell Council Royal Arcanum held its regular meeting last evening with a small attendance. One initiation was recorded and the regular business of the council was transacted.

Veritas lodge, I.O.O.F., held its regular meeting last night and voted to take action with the other encampments relative to the fair to be held the first week in December. It was also voted to entertain members with refreshments at the next meeting one week from Thursday next.

BOWLING NEWS.

Notwithstanding the condition of the weather, the Pastimes and Pawtuckets played the ninth game of the tournament at Lakeview last night. Low scores characterized the game, no one reaching 500. Knapp of the losing team rolled the highest score. John Mellen was out of his usual form. The score:

PAWTUCKETS.

Knapp	115	161	185—474
Patten	151	129	157—437
Kirby	130	125	152—407
Sawyer	155	138	124—417
Clogston	113	119	113—405
Totals	726	675	741—2142

PASTIMES.

Mellen	151	120	142—413
Mower	143	160	151—454
Simmons	162	151	138—451
Lynas	151	151	159—461
Sheehy	120	155	149—423
Totals	730	702	734—2236

Fairmounts and Lakeviews are booked for tonight.

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MULE SPINNERS.

At a meeting of the Mule Spinners union, to be held this evening, a marshal and two aids, for the Labor day parade, will be elected.

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Experienced for the past few years, and with such a changeable climate, have at endency to raise havoc with the Throat and Lungs, subjecting people to attacks of Asthma, Bronchitis and acute and chronic Coughs, at first a harmless cold or cough, which was allowed to take its course. Always keep Cleveland's Lung Healer on hand. Call on F. H. Butler & Co., 265 Central street and 391 Middlesex street and get a trial bottle free. Large size, 25c.

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For news, for illustrations, for enterprise, and for advertising it is

LOWELL'S GREATEST NEWSPAPER.

What if the girl who asked to be kissed by Hobson, should turn out to be Hobson's choice!

The Cambridge Press says:
The sheriff of Middlesex county,
Thinks he's having a life-long snap;
His deps gaily sing:
"We are all in the ring
And we're pulling away at the pap."

The chief regrets of the war are that Weyler was beyond the reach of our guns, that our soldiers starved while the rations rotted in store, that our splendid army was harassed by the mismanagement of Alger.

Presidents McKinley and Faure can now converse across the Atlantic at pleasure since the White House can easily be connected with the president's castle in Paris by cable. Every day adds fresh proofs of the federation of the world by means of electricity.

Boston's tax rate is $13.60, the highest since 1884, when the tax rate reached the enormous figure of $17. That is one dollar less than the tax rate of Lowell. Verily, it is becoming an expensive privilege to reside in Lowell during a business administration.

ALGER'S COMMISSARY.

The fact that the rations for the Second Massachusetts regiment shipped on the Vigilancia have been returned under a cargo of hay in the hold of the vessel shows some of the foul management of the war department. The Second Massachusetts regiment lost more men than any other in the service in the fight before Santiago, although it had to go begging for rations, inasmuch as the supplies shipped specially for itself were buried in the hold of a ship under many tons of hay. In a similar way, whole trains of provisions were at hand but buried under something else and cargoes of ice melted in the harbor—all this took place while the soldiers were almost starved, while the wounded and fatigued gasped for water. This is but a specimen of Alger's management of the army.

THE SIXTH REGIMENT.

Col. Woodward is making bad worse by his profuse explanations. At one time it appears that General Garretson had a grudge against him, at another that some of his subordinates were opposed to him, and again because he was too considerate with his men. It is easy to read between the lines that Woodward was of little use on the battlefield and that the service was improved by his resignation. He is not a military man in the proper sense. When the turmoil and the hardships of actual war are to be endured, Col. Woodward could not be reckoned upon. He claims that it was sympathy for his regiment that caused him to be censured, but his regiment is all right and was all right under Woodward if properly directed. General Miles knows good soldiers when he sees them and he holds the Sixth Regiment in high estimation.

SEND THEM BOUQUETS.

The request of Aldermen Goward and Tuttle to vote upon a motion that had been decided at the previous meeting of the board was one of the most silly, absurd and ridiculous that could be imagined. As well might a man wishing to go to Boston today request that he be privileged to go on one of last week's trains. Alderman Goward posed as the parliamentarian of the republican side while the democrats were showing their knowledge of parliamentary law to their own advantage some time ago, but his break of last night was the greatest travesty upon correct parliamentary practice ever witnessed in city hall. Both aldermen should be presented with a good, solid bouquet of cabbage heads by their constituents.

Col. Logan is to succeed the late Col. Hogan. Only a change of a letter in the names, but the soldiers of the Ninth will not forget their gallant colonel who became a victim to the privations of the service at Santiago.

Will Mayor Bennett hang up the $10,000 for Huntington hall and also the $40,000 for sewers until close upon election time and then favor both to be distributed as election bonuses in lieu of votes?

It is about time the belligerent forces at city hall should get together and agree upon a protocol that would suspend hostilities upon the Huntington hall matter.

CRISP GOSSIP.

Under a heading which reads "Short Stories," the Lawrence Tribune says: "One case each of typhoid fever and measles were reported at the Board of Health office this morning." One who has had experience with the former disease would say that it is none too short.

A serious handicap that the firemen encounter while answering alarms is the flying dust caused by the large number of people who cross the roads while attending the fire. On the day of the three fires, in rapid succession, Rock street resembled a desert with a simoon in progress.

It is estimated that 2500 men, women and children were at the railroad station Wednesday in Portsmouth, N. H., to witness the arrival of Assistant Naval Contructor Hobson and to give the hero of Santiago a grand ovation. In this they were disappointed, for although it had been officially chronicled that Lieutenant Hobson would arrive from New York and be escorted to the navy yard, where before a selected board he would be examined for promotion, he did not put in appearance. Although it had been wired ahead that Hobson was not on board, the crowd which had gathered would not leave until the train, which was forty minutes late, had pulled in and out of the station.

When the train stopped, a man who looked like Hobson alighted and as soon as the eyes of the crowd had picked him out as the man of all men, the cries of "There he is! There he is!" arose from the vast multitude. This person looked in wonderment at the crowd, which pushed forward from all directions to hail him. The mistake was soon understood.

Again Wednesday there was no session of the police court. This is the second day in one week when the judge was not needed to deal out justice to any petty law breakers.—Manchester Union.

Though days may come and go, the Lowell police court session goes on forever.

WRITTEN IN FRENCH.

A friend in this city has received a letter from B. D. O'Connell, Esq. It is written in French and Mr. O'Connell's friend was quite surprised as he exhibited a grand knowledge of the language. Mr. O'Connell is now reading the works of noted French writers.

WILL SUE ROAD.

Motorman Rolley, who has been discharged by the L. L. & H. road, is going to sue the road for heavy damages for injuries received in the collision near Belle Grove. Yesterday afternoon he engaged DeCourcey and Coulson as his attorneys. It is expected that a hot legal fight will be waged.

K. OF C. FIELD DAY.

Lexington Council, K. of C. held their field day at Willow Dale, Thursday, and in the afternoon the Lowell council, K. of C., engaged them in a game of ball at Mountain Rock, which resulted in a victory for the Lowell team. Score, 8 to 3.

The ball games between these two councils is an annual affair and considerable interest is manifested on both sides. The game is generally a lively one and Thursday's game was not an exception.

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WORSHIP OF MONEY.

POWER OF SATAN OVER THE WORLD SHOWN IN LEGALIZED IDOLATRY.

Per Cent the Sacrifice Laid Upon the Altar of Our Mammon God — The Poor Have Been Plundered and Murdered by Civil Government.

Rev. D. Oglesby preached at a camp meeting that was being held at Sparta, Ills. He prefaced his sermon with these words:

I am 72 years old. In all these long years I have never asked the privilege of preaching at a camp meeting, quarterly meeting, district conference or any other special gathering until this time, although I have been a member of the southern Illinois conference 44 years. I said to the elder, I want to go to the district conference in Sparta if I live and keep my health, and I would like to preach there, inasmuch as that was the last charge I received from a bishop. I scarcely ever make apologies, but I thought it due to the elder and committee, for if the congregation are disappointed in their selecting an old superannuated back number to preach when they had so many modern up to date divines to select from they must blame me and not the committee. Nevertheless I shall try to preach as if we were in sight of the judgment, for I am sure that it will be my funeral to most of you and yours to me.

Following is the concluding portion of the sermon:

Seeing the reward is so indescribably great, why is it so hard to persuade men to worship God? Why is it that Christianity has made such slow progress in the world?

"Oh," you will say to me, "you are an old fogy. You are a pessimist. The church has gone off and left you. Christianity is taking the world."

Come, my optimistic brother, let us look facts square in the face. I don't believe that truth ever did any injury in our world. Come, let us lock arms and take a walk and survey the field (the field is the world) and see what has been accomplished and what is to do yet.

There are 1,400,000,000 people in the world and only 200,000,000 nominal Christians, and in order to make up the 200,000,000 nominal Christians we have to count all—men, women and children, the ones in the penitentiary and out, the inmates of brothels, saloons and gambling dens—all. Now, when we fan out the chaff to find the wheat it is an exceedingly liberal estimate to allow that there are 50,000,000 Christians in the world today.

Here we are at the sunset of the nineteenth century and only one in 28 or 30 of the human race made Christians.

What do you think of the outlook?

General Miles was sent by the president last year to inspect the armaments or military forces of Europe. When he returned, he said, "The millenium must be a long way off when swords will be made into plowshares and spears into pruning hooks, for all Europe is preparing for war as never before, building larger warships and more of them, raising larger armies, spending more money for war purposes than in any previous age."

All this preparation for war by so called Christian nations? What does it mean?

We have not been preaching war, have we? That it is right to butcher and murder each other? This doesn't look like peace on earth and good will to men, does it? Have we not good reason to cry out, "Lord, who hath believed our report and to whom hath the arm of the Lord been revealed?" It looks more like the arm of the devil was being revealed, doesn't it?

Surely there must be some obstruction across the track of Christianity! Surely the stream of salvation is dammed up. Some great obstacle has prevented mankind from worshiping God!

Now let us take the crowbar of truth and the pick and shovel of investigation and dig down and see what is the obstruction.

And before we begin this investigation I want to make a little digression.

There is a universal and strong prejudice against preaching politics. If a preacher says politics in the pulpit, he is ostracised and makes "himself of no reputation" in the church and out of it. It is a senseless, unscriptural, wicked prejudice, because politics is the science of civil government, and civil government is an ordinance of God, just as much so as the church is.

Of course preachers should not preach party politics at all, but it is as much the duty of the preacher to preach against sin in civil government as anywhere else, for his Master has placed him a sentinel on the walls of Zion and commanded him to "lift up his voice like a trumpet and show the people their sins."

I have made this digression because we will find the great obstacle to the spread of Christianity or the worship of God is and always has been the attitude of the civil governments of earth. Ever since old satan inaugurated the first rebellion on earth it has been his constant business to keep men from worshiping God. For this purpose he is "walking to and fro in the earth and going up and down in it."

He knew that if he could get sin incorporated into civil law he would score a great victory, because he knew that the great majority of mankind would never have any higher standard of morals than civil law. Then he knew that men would be law abiding, and if the law was bad his end was gained.

The next step was to get control of civil government. Then he could put all the sin into law that he wanted to. He made haste to do that. He took Christ up on a mountain and showed him all the kingdoms (governments) of the world, and said, "all these will I give thee if thou wilt fall down and worship me." He meant, these are mine. Big liar as old satan is, he sometimes tells the truth. He owned the governments of the world then, and does yet, as we will find as we proceed in this investigation. Having got control of the governments of the world, of course he would use them to prevent men from worshiping God. The surest way to do this was to legalize idolatry. He knew that mankind would worship something—it was in his nature to worship. Satan didn't care what he worshiped so he didn't worship God. He might worship the sun, moon or heavenly host, or the river Ganges or Nile or he might whittle a god out of wood or chisel one out of stone; no matter so he didn't worship God, but he must not worship God on pain of death. Here we find the obstacle for which we are searching. It is the perversion of civil government.

Every martyr of the 50,000,000 who sealed their testimony with their blood was sentenced to death, to the stake or dungeon or to be devoured by wild beasts, by the same civil government and law that protected idolatry.

But you may have been thinking that idolatry is confined to heathen countries. You think perhaps that our country is a Christian country and our laws are Christian laws and that we have no system of idolatry. We will see.

We license the liquor traffic that costs $1,000,000,000 a year, and sends multitudes to drunkards' graves, that crushes the hearts of mothers and blights the lives of children, that is the prolific source of three-fourths of the crimes committed in our country. Does that look like we were a Christian government?

Then, worse than that, our system of commerce is a huge system of idolatry, as is the case all over our boasted Christian civilization. Here is the proof: The first law God gave to man was the law of labor. "In the sweat of thy face shalt thou eat bread." It is an important law. The existence of the human race depends on it. In the production of wealth this law is respected and honored. All wealth is produced by labor, and wageworkers receive wages.

But when we enter the domain of commerce God's law of labor is set aside and ignored. The one who buys and sells and carries on commerce takes no account of his labor, if he does any labor. He works for per cent.

The stockholders of this Central railroad may live in Europe, may never have seen the road, but charges for freights and fares are adjusted so as to bring in a per cent to divide among them. If the per cent fails, then the wages of all who labor on the road are reduced or the charges for freights and fares are increased, thus making the men who labor support and enrich the idlers.

It is the same in all lines of traffic. It permeates every avenue of commerce so completely that all business is a system of gambling, getting without giving an equivalent or robbery. Per cent on money does it all. The dollar is god. Per cent is the sacrifice laid on the altar of our Mammon god. This system of idolatry must and will be destroyed. It is the last form of idolatry that will exist on the earth. It has conquered and captured both church and governments and has such a hold on the world that its destruction will convulse society as never before. Civil governments are to be converted, taken out of old satan's hands, and Christ is to rule.

We have been taught by our great theologians that the millenium would be a state of society in which all would be saints. That state of society will come during the millennial period, but the millenium will come long before that. The millenium is wholly political.

When civil governments are made to harmonize with the divine government and civil law is made to conform exactly with divine law, then the millenium will be here, then Christ will reign. Men are generally law abiding now. When civil law is in harmony with divine law, to obey the law will be to obey God. Then "righteousness will cover the earth as the waters cover the sea," because all will obey the law of God. As it is now and ever has been, to obey civil law was to serve the devil. The greatest crimes on earth are legal crimes.

It will not be so when civil laws are just and righteous.

God is just. His justice has delayed its coming long, but it will come. Civil governments have been perverted and instead of protecting the poor they have been used to plunder and oppress them.

The poor have been robbed, plundered and murdered by civil governments and law through all the ages. God, the great Father above, made the earth for his earthly family to have homes, but through all the ages they have been robbed of homes by wicked laws. Great cities have been built by the money taken from the poor who toiled their lives out, homeless, hungry and destitute. If justice demands the destruction of the stolen wealth, if restitution will not be voluntarily made to God's poor, and there is no probability of that being done, then the just retribution coming, must be "a time of tribulation such as never was since the beginning of the world to this time, no, nor ever shall be" (Matthew xxiv, 21). This saying of Christ has been applied wholly to the destruction of Jerusalem. Jerusalem rejected Christ and suffered great tribulation. Jerusalem is a type of the world. The world has rejected him and is now practicing idolatry, and its time of tribulation is at the door. The great battle of Armageddon is now begun, and the end will introduce to our world the millennium state.

Municipal Railways In England.

Salford is to join the ranks of British towns operating their own street railway systems. At the meeting of the town council, March 3, it was unanimously voted that in 1901, when the present lease of the tracks to a corporation should expire, the city should operate the system.

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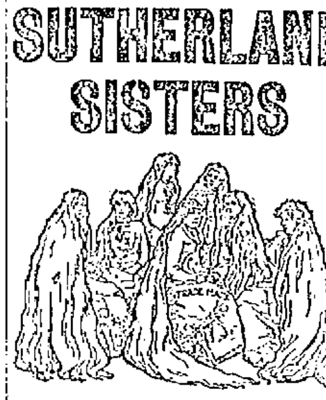

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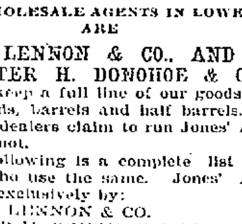
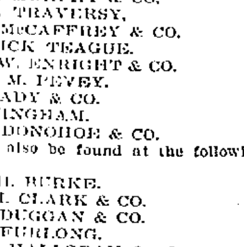


Notice to Abutters
Office of Supt. of Streets.

The City is about to macadamize Andover street, in consequence of which it is desirable that all persons who contemplate digging up the street for the purpose of making gas, sewer, electrical or water connections, do so at once, as it is important that such work be done before the street is repaired.

C. J. CHENEY,
Supt. of Streets.

Lowell, Aug. 13, 1898.



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RIOTS AT PONCE

The Natives Avenging Spite on Spaniards.

Military Authorities to Punish Offenders -- Confederate Money Passed by Dishonest Soldiers—One Sentenced to Five Years.

Ponce, Porto Rico, Aug. 19.—The natives show a disposition to persecute the Spanish residents, and several minor riots have occurred here. At Yauco the natives threw stones and bricks into Spanish shops, in retaliation for outrages committed within the Spanish lines. The military have been ordered to suppress these demonstrations and punish the offenders.

Ponce is flooded with Confederate money. When the first expedition sailed from Charleston some citizen who had had his cellar filled with Confederate money since the war distributed it among the soldiers as a curiosity. Much of this has been passed on the unsuspecting natives as genuine currency of the United States, and has been accepted by them as such. In many instances this has been done with a deliberate purpose to deceive and swindle, and one petty officer who was detected at it has been court-martialed and sentenced to five years in the penitentiary. He is now in jail in Ponce.

No one would be sorry if this deception had been practiced upon the business men of the city, who have been deliberately robbing everyone who went to them with any money to change. The actual value of Porto Rican money is just $2 for one American dollar, yet the Porto Rican merchants have been exchanging money at $1.75 Porto Rican for one American. An effort has been made to stop this at the custom house, where American money is exchanged at its true value.

TWO MEN KILLED

And Four Others Fatally Injured

BY COLLAPSE OF A CORNICE IN PHILADELPHIA.

It Was an Old Building Badly Constructed.

Philadelphia, Aug. 19.—Two men were instantly killed, four probably fatally injured and two others seriously injured by the collapse of the cornice on a new building. The dead are: Albert Green and Thomas Lyons. The fatally injured are: C. Schroder, fractured skull; Harry Evans, cut about the head and injured internally; Thomas Mundy, badly cut about the head and face; Frank McIntyre, fractured skull. The men who were killed were at work on the scaffold when the crash came. The heavy cornice carried them down, and the entire weight fell on the bricklayers who were at work on the pavement.

The accident is supposed to have been caused by the shortening of the purchase rods in the cornice supports. Schroder and Evans died after they had been taken to the hospital.

PUT IN A STRONGER JILL.

Westerly, R. I., Aug. 19.—Acting on the suggestion of Governor Dyer, Sheriff Cundall has transferred H. C. Schooley, who is charged with the death of Maria Flynn of Watch Hill last week, from the Washington county jail at Kingston to the state prison at Cranston. The move was made to prevent any possibility of escape by the prisoner.

The police now believe that the girl was murdered instead of meeting death at her own hands by drowning in trying to escape from the prisoner.

HOSMER WAS BEATEN.

Nantasket Beach, Mass., Aug. 19.—Ten Eyck easily defeated Hosmer in a three-mile single scull race for a purse of $300 yesterday afternoon. The course was parallel to the shore, so that many thousands of people were able to see the race, which was one of the chief events of the summer carnival at this place. Owing to the difficulty in setting the buoys, no time was taken.

DEADLOCK IN TEXAS.

Fort Worth, Tex., Aug. 19.—The Republican state convention, which has been in session three days, is again deadlocked. This time it is over the report of the committee on resolutions which has not been able to agree. There is still much difference of opinion as to the advisability of nominating a state ticket.

LIVERY STABLE BURNED.

East Bridgewater, Mass., Aug. 19.—Lightning struck in several places during a storm yesterday afternoon, but the only serious damage was done to the livery stable of F. L. Weaver. All of the horses and carriages were saved, but a greater portion of the building, with 20 tons of hay, was consumed. The loss was $1000.

POST OFFICE.

OF LITTLETON N. H., ROBBED BY SAFE CRACKERS.

Littleton, N. H., Aug. 19.—The postoffice at Franconia was broken into early Thursday morning, an entrance being effected through an adjoining library building. The safe was blown open and $250 in money and a large quantity of stamps were taken.

AERONAUT INJURED.

Lynn, Aug. 19.—F. H. Cole, an aeronaut, when about to make an ascension at Nahant beach yesterday afternoon was blown forcibly against one of the swing posts and then hurled into the crowd of people. His spine was seriously injured.

BASE BALL.

Boston, Aug. 19.—The champions took another game from the Chicagoes yesterday in the easiest manner, none of the visitors getting across the home plate. The home team won the game in the first two innings by heavy batting. Both sides fielded brilliantly, but the Chicagoes were very weak at the bat. Score:

Bostons.	AB	R	1B	PO	A	E
Hamilton, c. f.	4	1	0	1	0	0
Tenney, 1 b.	1	1	1	3	1	0
Bergen, 1 b.	4	0	1	8	0	0
Long, s. s.	5	2	2	1	4	1
Duffy, l. f.	4	1	3	0	0	0
Collins, 3 b.	4	1	1	1	4	0
Stafford, r. f.	4	3	4	2	0	0
Yeager, c.	4	0	1	2	2	0
Lowe, 2 b.	4	1	3	7	4	0
Lewis, p.	3	0	1	2	2	0
Hickman, p.	1	0	1	0	0	0
Totals	38	10	18	27	17	1

Chicagoes.	AB	R	1B	PO	A	E
Green, c. f.	4	0	0	1	0	0
Everitt, 1 b.	3	0	0	12	1	0
Thornton, l. f.	2	0	0	1	0	0
Dahlen, s. s.	2	0	1	3	3	0
McCormick, 3 b.	3	0	0	0	0	0
Mertes, r. f.	1	0	0	0	0	0
Woods, p.	2	0	1	1	3	0
Connor, 2 b.	3	0	0	4	2	0
Donohue, c.	0	0	0	1	0	0
Chance, c.	3	0	0	6	0	0
Isbel, p.	3	0	0	1	1	0
Totals	26	0	2	21	10	0

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Bostons	6	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Chicagoes	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Earned runs—Bostons, 9. Two base hits—Lowe and Hickman. Three base hit — Tenney. Home run—Stafford. Stolen bases—Hamilton and Stafford. Double plays—Lowe, Long and Bergen; Lewis, Lowe and Bergen; McCormick and Everitt; Dahlen and Everitt. First base on balls—By Lewis, 1; by Hickman, 2; by Isbel, 1. Struck out—By Isbel, 1. Time — 1:25. Attendance—3600. Umpires—Gaffney and Brown.

Altreck of the Louisvilles lost his game with the orioles yesterday in the first inning. He steadied in the second. Nops was hit freely, but had fine support.

Catcher Kinslow has signed with the St. Louis club.

The senators won in the ninth on three singles, a base on balls and Tucker's error in yesterday's game with the St. Louis team.

Opportune hitting by the Phillies and loose fielding by the Pittsburgs enabled the Quakers to win, 8 to 4.

The New Yorks won a third time from the Cincinnatis. Damman lasted the first inning, five runs being made off him. Hawley succeeded him. Seymour pitched great ball. Score: 7 to 0.

After the Clevelands had won the first game yesterday from the New Yorks the second was started, but after two innings it was called on account of rain. No runs had been scored.

The Springfield team was whitewashed by Syracuse, being unable to hit Villiman at the proper time. It rained heavily during four innings in the middle of the game. Captain Bannon has been released.

The Providences opened the final home series with a victory over the Wilkesbarres in a magnificent game yesterday. It was a pitching battle, and a little streak of clever hitting in the fifth inning won the game. Egan's curves and generalship were too much for the hard hitting barons, and they were shut out.

MAGUIRE FOR GOVERNOR.

Sacramento, Aug. 19.—The Democratic state convention on assembling yesterday received the report of the committee on union. It recited that the People's party and silver-Republicans were in accord with the program of fusion and would support the Democratic ticket if it should proceed along the lines mapped out. It urged the adoption of the fusion plan, and the matter was put to a vote without debate. Fusion carried by less than a dozen votes.

W. H. Alford, chairman of the central committee, then nominated Congressman James C. Maguire for governor in a brief speech, in which he said that industrial freedom was the one light the Democracy had in view. Senator White seconded the nomination in an eulogistic speech, wherein he reviewed Mr. Maguire's record in congress on the railroad question. Mr. Maguire was nominated by a rising vote.

LOST A BARREL OF MONEY.

Buffalo, Aug. 19.—The beast of H. M. Hanna and other Cleveland friends of the western man, Mattie Patterson, that nobody could tell how fast she could go, was short-lived yesterday, when Directum Kelly, a 4-year-old colt, took her measure in the $5000 queen city stake 2:16 trot. The Vilander mare had a heat in 2:14 to her credit before the rain on Wednesday, but Directum Kelly won a hard-fought heat in 2:08¾, following with two more heats in 2:10¾ and 2:10¾, the second being a beautiful drive by Kelly and a great burst of speed by the colt after a disastrous break, putting him many lengths back. The Cleveland party lost a barrel of money. The pool boxes held about $50,000 on the race.

BARNS BURNED AND CROPS LOST.

Middletown, N. Y., Aug. 19.—During a cyclonic storm in Orange county several barns containing the year's crops were struck by lightning and burned. At Montgomery the storm was the most severe. Houses were shattered, trees uprooted and property generally destroyed. The whole orchard on the Daniel Van Alst place was flattened, and a number of cattle was killed. The extensive barns of the state homeopathic hospital in this city were struck by lightning, but the fire was extinguished immediately.

LOST A PONTOON.

Halifax, Aug. 19.—The Argus of Boston, which left here Tuesday for New York with wrecking pontoons for Santiago in tow, has arrived at Shelburne, 100 miles west of Halifax, in distress, having encountered heavy gales Tuesday night and lost one pontoon in the storm. The steamer has landed a man at Shelburne sick or injured. The missing pontoon is adrift or sunk.

HIS NECK BROKEN.

South Norwalk, Conn., Aug. 19.—Frederick Beuton, aged 50, a painter, was almost instantly killed by the scaffold on which he was at work collapsing and letting him to the ground. His neck was broken.

TRIED TO SUICIDE

Dubois Made Several Attempts to Take His Life

WHILE LOCKED UP IN A CELL.

Was Prevented by Keeper Libby.

Louis Dubois who was arrested last night for drunkenness and threatening his wife, made several attempts on his life while locked up in the police station. Noticing the peculiar actions of the man upon his arrival at the station, Keeper Libby decided to keep a watch on him. Dubois had not been in more than an hour when he took off his suspenders and tied them firmly about his throat. In the meantime the keeper was watching proceedings and being convinced that the crazed man really intended to end his life, he interfered just as the man was about to attempt to swing himself into eternity.

When he first arrived he was placed in a cell at the further end of the corridor from Keeper Libby's headquarters and he had arranged his necktie and was about to place it about his neck when the keeper transferred him to cell No 1, nearest to the stairs where a constant vigil could be kept over him. At first the prisoner acted all right. For some time he kept very quiet and as this aroused Mr. Libby's suspicions, he walked over to the side of the grating and was startled at the sight before him. Dubois was arranging his suspenders about his neck and testing the strength of them. Mr. Libby took away from him everything with which he could injure himself.

This morning Dubois was held in $100 to keep the peace for six months and as he could not find security he will be compelled to serve that time in the common jail.

MATRIMONIAL.

REYNOLDS—LECLAIRE.

Mr. Henry Reynolds, the well known blacksmith and Miss Minnie Leclaire, were joined in wedlock at St. Peter's parochial residence at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Rev. Fr. Mullen performed the ceremony. Miss Florence Leclaire, sister of the bride, was bridesmaid and Frank Campbell, an intimate friend of the contracting parties, was best man. A reception was held at the home of the bride, 9 Stevens street during the afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds have started on their honeymoon which will be spent in New York.

ADMIRAL DEWEY.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Philadelphia, Aug. 19.—The merchant steamer Admiral Dewey was launched here today.

The Admiral Dewey is the first of four merchant steamers building at Cramp's shipyard for the American Steamship company. These four vessels will be named for distinguished admirals of the American navy and as stated, the first to be launched will be called the Admiral Dewey.

These ships are to be operated between Boston, New York and Philadelphia and Jamaica and may be regarded as the pioneer vessels of the post-bellum development of American commerce.

They will be operated by the Boston Fruit company and will furnish mail service to West Indian ports as far as Jamaica.

FIRST VERMONT.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Chickamauga National Park, Ga., Aug. 18.—The First Vermont regiment is expected to leave Chickamauga for Fort Ethan Allen, Vt., tomorrow. The sick of the regiment, 41 in all, are en route home on Pullman cars. Col. Minnis who has been sick, has so far recovered as to be able to resume command. The officers of the regiments think the plan of sending the sick home will save a number kof lives.

MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP

Has been used for over fifty years by millions of mothers for their children while teething, with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for diarrhœa. Sold by druggists in every part of the world. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup," and take no other kind. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

Maltox makes the old feel young.

PROCLAMATION

Issued by General Merritt Today.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, Aug. 18.—A special from Manila, Aug. 11, via Hong Kong today, says:

General Merritt has prepared a proclamation to the natives which provides for a scheme of government for Manila and surrounding territory and other island places in our possession, the chief points of which are:

Rigid protection to all personal religion.

Municipal laws, tribunals, and local institutions for punishment of crime to remain until further notice, except where incompatible with military rule, subject to supervision of American government.

Provost marshal and sub provost to be appointed with power to arrest civil as well as military offenders.

Open trade for neutral nations.

Public property to be rigorously protected.

No interference with the people so long as they preserve peace.

General Merritt occupies the governor's palace.

ONE MURDER

And Many Fights in Santiago.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

SANTIAGO DE CUBA, Aug. 18.—(1.15 p. m.)—This morning General Wood, military governor of Santiago increased the local police force with additions from various regiments. There has been trouble from soldiers who have disobeyed orders and there have been thefts, several street fights, at least one murder and a good deal of drunkenness so that an exceptionally large force is needed to preserve order.

This morning the Eighth Illinois Volunteers (colored) entered upon patrol duty. The infantry leaves today by the Miller.

There are seven transports now in the harbor awaiting the embarkation of the Spanish troops, of whom more than two thousand will leave today. The general appearance is pitiful. There has been much sickness among them and within the last two days over two hundred bodies have been buried.

The death rate in the city is about seventy per day. The heavy rains increase the fever among the soldiers and the inhabitants alike.

MORE TROOPS FOR SANTIAGO.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 18.—Despatches of importance from General Merritt and Santiago were received and considered at the war department today. It is understood that General Merritt's despatches were not of a disquieting nature, although the changes to be faced in the Philippines are giving the department considerable concern.

The conditions at Santiago are causing a great deal of uneasiness and it is believed that more troops will be ordered there. Already orders have been issued directing the Fifth regular infantry now at Tampa to proceed at once to Santiago. The government intends to take vigorous measures to preserve the peace and keep order in Santiago and the territory under the United States control.

As a further step in this direction, the president today directed that the 23rd Kansas regiment, colored, be despatched to Santiago to form part of the army of occupation of Cuba.

ARMY BEING RE-VACCINATED.

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PONCE, PORTO RICO, Aug. 17.—Noon.—Delayed in transmission.—The army is being revaccinated as there is a smallpox epidemic in some portions of the island. The auxiliary cruiser Prairie formerly El Sol, left today for Santiago to take troops to Montauk Point.

General Miles has postponed his visit to the front on account of the rains. The wet season has set in and there will be rains daily until the end of October.

ADMIRAL CERVERA

Will Not Leave for Spain Today.

WILL SEE OTHERS ON THEIR WAY

Before He Starts on the Journey.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Washington, Aug. 18.—Admiral Cervera will not return to Spain for the present and the report from Annapolis that he would leave today is incorrect. The admiral has made no application to leave and it is the belief that he will be the last of the Spanish prisoners to go home, as he appears to be desirous of seeing them on the way homeward before he leaves.

The navy department has not taken up the question of the final disposal of the Spanish prisoners, although it has passed upon one or two special cases in which the circumstances made speedy action advisable.

GENERAL HOLIDAY.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

New York, Aug. 18.—Mayor Van Wyck this afternoon issued a proclamation urging that all business be suspended on Saturday in honor of the occasion of the parade of battleships and other war vessels. He also urges that all public buildings and private residences in Greater New York and every vessel in the harbor shall be decked with flags and bunting.

TWO KILLED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Philadelphia, Aug. 18.—The cornice of a building in course of erection at 475 and 477 North 6th street fell today, carrying with it a scaffold upon which several men were at work. Two of the workmen were killed, one fatally injured and four others seriously hurt. The killed are Albert Green and Thomas Lyons.

OUR TROOPS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Boston, Aug. 18.—By direction of the governor, the adjutant general has instructed Surgeon General Rubel, to proceed immediately to Montauk Point to aid in all ways in his power the arriving Massachusetts troops. Major Brown, Surgeon, Second regiment, goes with Surgeon-General Blood. They left at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

MANSFIELD ARRESTED.

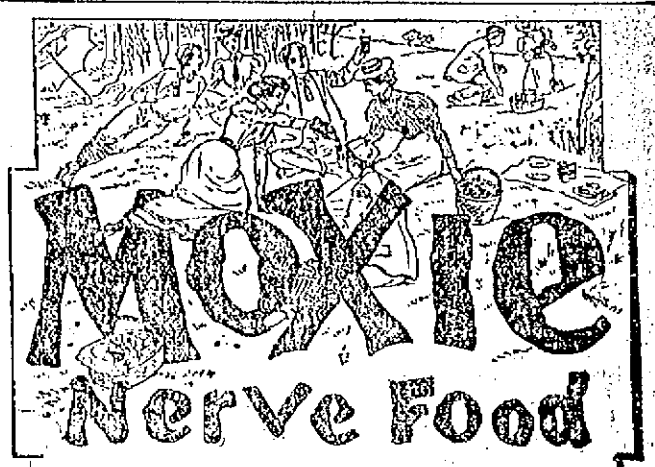
By Associated Press to The Sun.

Fall River, Aug. 18.—Private Mansfield, who escaped from Fort Adams late last night, was arrested here today after a desperate resistance. Mansfield enlisted at Boston. He is charged with robbing the mails at Fort Adams.

TRAMP IDENTIFIED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Taunton, Aug. 18.—The tramp who had both legs cut off at Middleboro Junction last night by falling from a freight train was identified today as Patrick Daly of New Bedford. Daly is at the Morton hospital and may live.



Is the most enjoyable part of a picnic. It is as healthful as it is delicious, for by nourishing the nerves it overcomes fatigue.

All Grocers sell it by the bottle. Druggists by the glass. Get the Genuine.

RAILROAD SOLD.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Kearney, Neb., Aug. 18.—There was but one bid for the Kearney & Black Hills railroad when it was offered for sale yesterday by Special Master Alexander.

Vice President Cornish of the Union Pacific offered $160,000 for the branch line and it was knocked down to him at that figure.

TWO APPOINTMENTS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Washington, Aug. 18.—The president today made the following appointments:

Nicholas J. Trul of Ohio to be receiver of public moneys at Circle, Alaska, and First Lieut. Charles A. Doyen, U. S. marine corps, to be captain.

STEAMER LAUNCHED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Bath, Me., Aug. 18.—The four-masted schooner Rachel W. Stevens of Norwalk, Conn., was launched this morning by the New England Shipbuilding company. She will be commanded by Lucius J. Stevens of Clinton, Conn. She is 182 feet long, 40 feet broad and 19 feet in depth. She has been built for the Cuban coal trade and has a capacity of 1800 tons.

LIABILITIES $270'000.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

New York, Aug. 18.—The Central Stamping company, manufacturers of tinware at 25 Cliff street today assigned to Alfred Turner, Jr., of Paterson, N. J., without preference. The company's attorneys estimate the liabilities at $270,000 and the nominal assets at $500,000.

DROPPED DEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Manchester, N. H., Aug. 18.—Nathan F. Corliss of Somerville Mass. who had been visiting his father in this city dropped dead of heart disease at the passenger station this forenoon. He leaves a family in Somerville.

AN OPEN LETTER
To MOTHERS.

WE ARE ASSERTING IN THE COURTS OUR RIGHT TO THE EXCLUSIVE USE OF THE WORD "CASTORIA," AND "PITCHER'S CASTORIA," AS OUR TRADE MARK.

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LOOK CAREFULLY at the wrapper and see that it is the kind you have always bought Chas. H. Fletcher. *on the and has the signature of wrapper. No one has authority from me to use my name except The Centaur Company, of which Chas. H. Fletcher is President.*

March 24, 1898.

Samuel Pitcher M. D.

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Do not endanger the life of your child by accepting a cheap substitute which some druggist may offer you (because he makes a few more pennies on it), the ingredients of which *even he* does not know.

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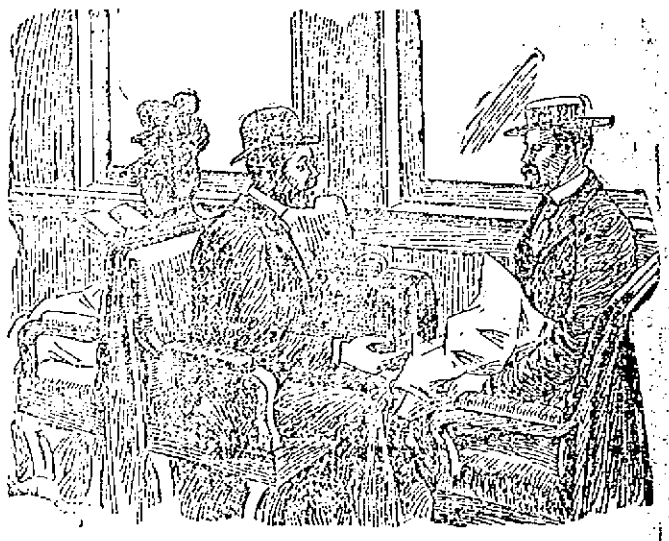


I very well remember the evening I arrived at Madison. My cousin Bertha was to meet me there, coming up from Milwaukee. She was not used to traveling and had, when she arrived, what she called a sick headache. I induced her to swallow a RIPANS TABULE and in half an hour she was well enough to join me at supper at the hotel. I heard no more of the headache, but next day Bertha bought some RIPANS TABULES for herself and I know that she has not had one of those attacks for nearly a year now.

A new style packet containing TEN RIPANS TABULES in a paper carton (without glass) is now for sale in some drug stores—FOR FIVE CENTS. This low priced sort is intended for the poor and the economical. One dozen of the (twenty cartons (200 tabules) can be had by sending forty-eight cents to the Ripans Chemical Company, No. 10 Spruce Street, New York—Ten single cartons (100 tabules) will be sent, postpaid.

OF ROUGH RIDERS

A Romance In Which Son Finds Mother

WITH WHOM HE HAD PARTED IN CHILDHOOD.

Another Rough Rider Accidentally Finds Father.

Jacksonville, Fla., Aug. 18.—Thomas Williams of Torrey's Rough Riders has left for Fort Meade to see his mother, whom he had thought dead for many years. She is now 81 years old and has mourned her son for many years.

The Williams family lived on the border years ago, when Indians made a raid and killed Williams's father. His mother bravely fought off the Indians killing several when she was struck. "Tom" then 7 or 8 years old, was taken away by the band and for a year or two was subjected to the worst kind of treatment. He bears scars on his face and person where the skin was torn off by the Indians in their efforts to harden him.

One day the band he was with met defeat and the boy was rescued by the whites. It took several years to win him back to civilization, he then being a strong hearty youth of 18 or so. He became a cowboy in Wyoming.

Thomas enlisted under Colonel Torrey and came here. In some manner his strange story became known and his aged mother, now living at Fort Meade, Fla., 200 miles south of here, was informed of it. She communicated with friends here and Williams learned that his mother still lived. In less than twenty hours he secured a furlough and now he is on his way to see her.

Another strange case came up this morning when a private met his father who had been missing more than 10 years. The father had left his western home suddenly and this spring came to Jacksonville, purchasing a small business. The soldier went into the store last night. The recognition was mutual.

IN HAVERHILL.

COMOMN COUNCIL ENRAGED AT STREET COMMITTEE.

Haverhill, Aug. 18.—Pres. Carr of the common council held the floor for the greater part of the session this evening and made one of the most violent speeches ever heard in the chamber.

The members of the street committee who at their last meeting instructed the superintendent of street to require nine hours labor from laborers in his department, contrary to orders of the city council, who voted for an eight-hour day, were the subjects of his attack. He declared that their action was unlawful and narchiste and condemned them severely. He offered resolutions to this effect which were passed by a vote of nine to three and then offered a series of orders on the same matter.

The first of these instructed the two members of the committee from the council to vote at the next meeting of the committee to rescind their former action in abolishing the eight hour work day and in connection with this he declared that the committee in failing to carry out the orders of the city council had violated the city ordinances, and that he would prosecute them if they did not rescind their action. This order was passed.

Another was then offered declaring the seats in the committee of the two council members to be vacant. This order he asked to have lie on the table until the next meeting, so that all members could have a chance to vote upon it.

The members of the committee defend their action by saying that they were instructed by an informal opinion of the city solicitor that the eight hour day ordinance was illegal on account of its conflict with the public statutes. The street laborers are now working nine hours a day.

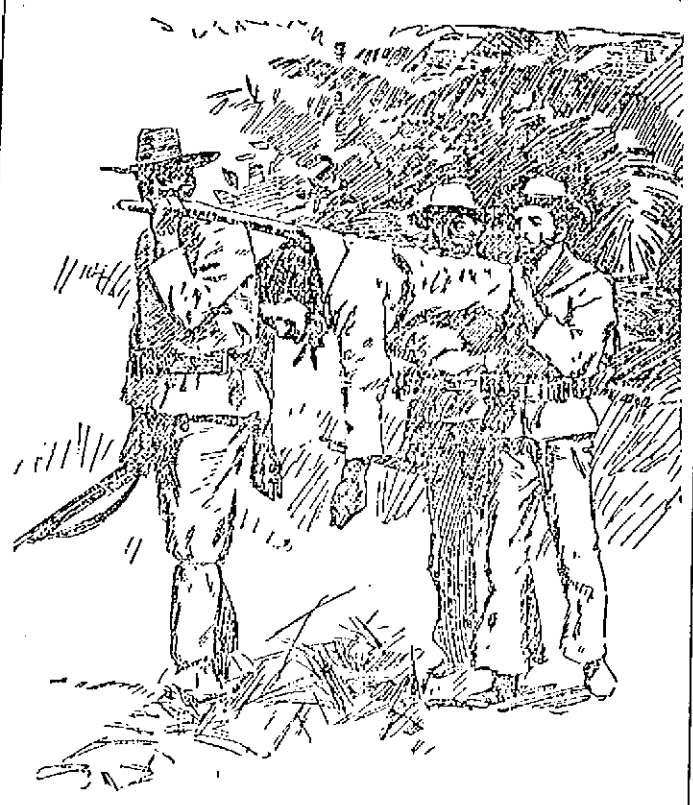
FOR LOCAL TREATMENT

of female ills Mrs. Pinkham advises women to use St. Elmo Syringe, specially invented for that purpose. Illustrated book and goods at Ellingwood's Drug Store.

MUSIC HALL.

Commencing tomorrow night, the Dazzler will begin a four nights' engagement at Music Hall. Those wishing to see a first class farce comedy should not fail to see the Dazzler. It is bright, clean and breezy, full of songs, dances, and good specialties. It is tuned up to date. The company is headed by the charming soubrette, Miss May Firt and the funny comedian Howard Belden.

To live long and be well use Maltox.



PORTO RICAN METHOD OF CARRYING THE INJURED.

LOWELL BOYS FOUGHT WELL.

(Continued.)

to resign, two of them for cowardice, they say. The Spaniards are asking for peace. Well, they ought to after the way we licked them here. The old Sixth did all the fighting here. The regulars were not in it. The war ships have landed with tons of mail here and I expect a few letters soon, so if there is any for me, I will answer them right off. It gets dark here at six o'clock now and in January it does not get dark until 9 o'clock.

In the march the other day there were 150 men fell on the roadside, some sunstruck and some fainting for a drink of water. Talk about walking; the cake walk is not in it. Tell Joe Hibbard to have a good old lively time for Company G when they get home and I bet we will show him how to go the cake walk. I guess I will close, hoping to hear from you soon.

Goodbye.

—Billy.

PRIVATE LAPOINTE.

Mrs. Lapointe of 85 French street has received the following letter from her husband, John J. Lapointe, who is a private in Company C, Sixth Massachusetts regiment.

Ponce, Porto Rico,
August 4, 1898.

Dear Wife:

I will write you these few lines to let you know that I am well, hoping you are the same. I will tell you that I have had no mail since that letter you sent to Camp Alger dated July 5th. I am very anxious to hear from you. It seems almost a year since I heard from you last. We heard this morning that the war was settled; if so, we will soon be home. We had only one battle since we landed and that was the first night we got off. There were only 2 men wounded out of our regiment and we killed 40 Spaniards and wounded 60. They are not in it with us. I never had so much fun as I did that night. We killed everything we saw in white, such as horses, cows, goats, pigs and dogs. I thought I shot a Spaniard and I ran up to take his gun away from him. When I got up to him I found that it was a white pig that I had shot and then the boys had the laugh on me. It is very warm out here and we have to march from 12 to 15 miles a day. I tell you it is hard on us; all we get are two meals a day and but very little at each meal. My clothes are getting too big for me, but never mind. I will fill them when I get home and I hope it will be soon. I think another month will see me home all right. Well, I can't think of anything new to write for we don't see or hear anything here and we can't speak to the people out here for we can't understand them. They speak Spanish.

Don't worry about me, for I will pull through all right. I will now close for this time, so good-bye, and God bless you. From your loving husband,

—John J. Lapointe.

Miss Pindar, daughter of Col. Albert Pindar, who has been studying music in Europe, has returned.

Mr. J. G. Buttrick, wife and three children are spending a few weeks in Fitchburg with Mrs. Buttrick's brother, James Webster.

Good coal, prompt delivery, good service guaranteed by Roarke & Sullivan 223 Central street, 984 Gorham street.

Miss Adelaide A. Sullivan, the popular organist is spending a couple of weeks at Nantasket.

PLOT A FAILURE

Intended to Blow Up Police Court.

TWENTY-FIVE POUNDS OF POWDER

In a Can With Fuse Under the Judge.

Vancouver, B. C., Aug. 19.—At Steveston, B. C., yesterday, an attempt to blow up the police station and court room by gunpowder failed. A can with 25 pounds of powder in it was found underneath the police court room directly below Magistrate Pearson's chair. A fuse connected with the can had been lighted and had burned to within six inches of the powder and then went out. The general belief is that it was aimed at he life of Magistrate Pearson, who has made some enemies.

DEATHS.

McGRATH—Kate, infant daughter of John and Margaret McGrath, died yesterday afternoon at 108 Common street, aged three months.

COLLINS—Mrs. John Collins aged 38 years, died last night at her home 42 Wilson street, North Billerica. Besides her husband she leaves one daughter, Annie and two sons, T. A. and Edward Collins. The funeral will take place Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

BLODEAU—Xavier Blodeau, aged 67 years, died yesterday morning at 32 De Grasse avenue.

CURTIN—Lenna Curtin, infant child of Michael and Mary Curtin, died yesterday at the home of her parents, 163 South street.

McGRATH—Katie J. McGrath, aged 3 months, daughter of John and Margaret McGrath, died yesterday afternoon at the home of her parents, 108 Common street.

SMITH—Elizabeth M. Smith, wife of William Smith, died yesterday at her home in Dracut. She was 82 years old and a pioneer resident of the town.

Mr. Wm. J. Currel, Jr., and Mr. Myles J. Fletcher have been visiting friends in Nashua.

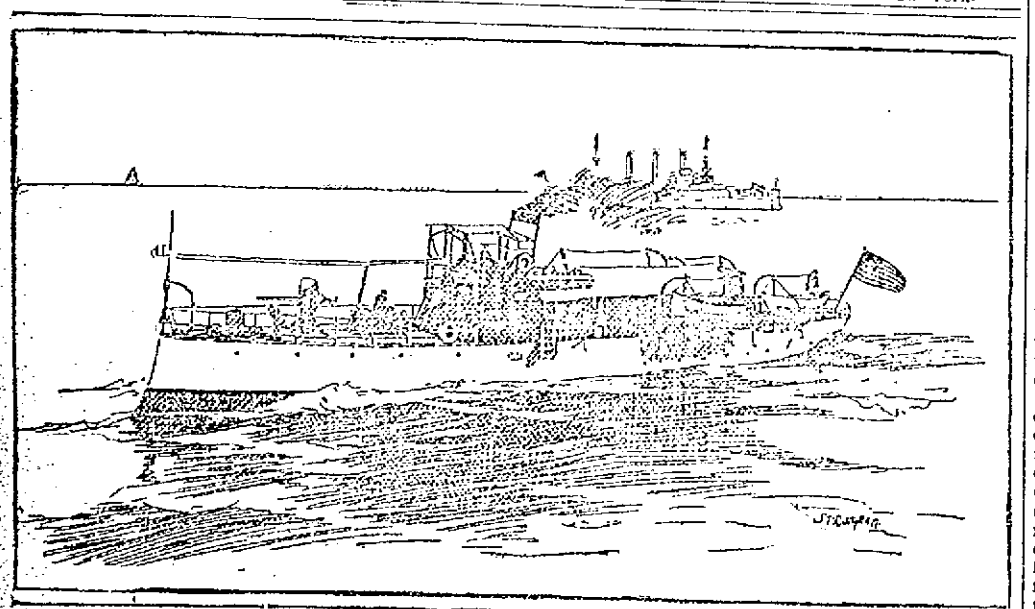
P. R. Warren is among the guests at the Hotel Howison, Milford, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Holland and family of Winchester are the guests of Mrs. Mary Aiken, 35 Shaw street.

Master Willie and Miss Pansy Sawyer have returned home from an enjoyable vacation of two months spent in Scituate, Mass.

Miss Maggie Roarke of Market street and Miss Tessie Eagan are spending two weeks at Crescent beach.

Dr. Martin and his family returned yesterday from a very pleasant vacation spent in central New York.



SPANISH GUNBOAT COLERED, CAPTURED IN THE HARBOR OF SANTIAGO.

PONCE OPEN FOR TRADE

Things Began to Hum After the Americans Arrived.

FRIENDLINESS OF THE PEOPLE

Customs Receipts of $21,000 Started the New Administration — The Question of Money Exchange — Firemen and Policemen Saluted Americans Wherever Met. The Ponce Milk Delivery—Spanish Collection of Lies.

The New York Sun's correspondent at Ponce, writing under the date of July 30, tells about business transactions in that important city of Porto Rico. He says:

The day before yesterday no business was done at the custom house of Ponce, the officials having abandoned their posts somewhat hastily and unceremoniously. Tonight Colonel Hill has $21,000, received in payment of customs duties in the old building by the waterside at the Playa. From this it will be seen how quickly business resumed its course after the arrival of the Americans at this impotent city of the island, the greatest molasses port in the world.

On Wednesday Ponce was Spanish. On Saturday, today, it is American in fact and in spirit, with no magic charm to account for the change except the glorious "flag of the stars," as one Porto Rican alcalde has called it, borne before a few thousand boys in blue and brown, who have been greeted as brothers come home where they expected to fight as conquerors. On Thursday night soldiers were still landing from the troopships in the harbor and questioning those ashore ahead of them as to what fighting had been done by the advance body and what was to be feared about the Playa. On Saturday morning the American port of Ponce, P. R., was doing business, even to the establishment of strict quarantine regulations, with the U. S. S. Cincinnati as guardship and Captain Chester as captain of the port. A United States squadron, with the Massachusetts as flagship, was at home in the bay, with the muzzles of the guns capped and the gun crews at rest.

Merchant ships of different nations, yachts, tugs and lighters indicated a busy harbor. On shore warehouses that were closed on Thursday were open, receiving and delivering goods. The soldiers who passed in front of them were, many of them, unarmed, having discarded even revolvers and cartridge belt. Here and there a closed warehouse gave the appearance of a partial observance of the Saturday half holiday. A British merchant captain, who had been five days in the harbor trying to discharge his cargo, welcomed the transformation that had come over the scene not less than the Porto Ricans and the agreeably surprised American soldiers and sailors. He had been unable to get anybody to work at unloading his cargo of provisions before the arrival of the Americans, and he had considered it advisable to go armed when in the city. Now he was again among people who believed in work.

It was a picture, the arrival of the Americans on Thursday morning, when the American flag was hoisted at daybreak over the office of the Spanish captain of the port. At the hour when the families of most of the soldiers were breakfasting at home American officers were being conducted about the city to which they had come in the guise of enemies by residents of the city, who could not show them courtesies enough. It was a coincidence not to escape notice that this first excursion of the Americans, for excursion it amounted to, brought up at the palace of justice. Thither their native entertainers led the American officers, after having shown them the roads over which the fleeing Spaniards had gone and some of the chief points of interest in the city. In the middle of the morning navy officers in immaculate uniforms drove unarmed around the town, and noncombatants of the invading expedition dickered in security with men whose language they could not speak to convey them in half closed traps over an unknown road several miles into a city which the enemy had indeed surrendered, but where, considering that enemy's character, treachery was to be feared if not expected. Considerable stretches of the way and many streets of the city were without American patrol, and Spaniards, even Spanish officers in civilian dress, were pointed out by friendly natives riding down toward the playa to see what the newcomers were like and what they were about.

But the Spaniards were few and the Porto Ricans were many. The Spaniards were inconspicuous and the Porto Ricans quiet, except in their demonstrations of welcome to the men they were pleased to call their deliverers. These were hearty, as when the bomberos or firemen drew up and saluted the invading forces, or effusive citizens proffered their best services to individual Americans whom they happened to pick out and address. The firemen and policemen all day saluted Americans wherever met, and at the chief public square, Bombas Parque—park of the bomberos—stray Americans who found themselves the center of an agitated, voluble crowd were likely to see close at the edge of the crowd watchful policemen, who certainly had every appearance of being sincerely if needlessly concerned in behalf of the welfare of the Americans. The policemen watched, too, released political prisoners who owed their new freedom to the Americans, and who, it seemed to be feared, might incite some unwelcome demonstrations.

Of course the apparent and real security felt and exhibited by the Americans was not without something actual for a base. The American troops, though only a few of them, were not only posted where seemed most needful about the town, but had pushed out along the road after the Spanish army some two or three miles beyond the town. Yet how few these were may be inferred from the frequent questions of the natives as to where the American army was. They expected to see soldiers everywhere.

A peculiar feature of the day was the absence of the American flag in the brilliant display of national colors in town and harbor. French, Danish, British, German, Austrian, Haitian, Italian, Red Cross flags floated everywhere. Harbor craft that were plainly Spanish property flew flags of any nation, and the number of foreign flags over buildings was astonishing in a town among whose 49,000 people only 3,303 were others than natives of Porto Rico and Cuba. The figures are from the last census, brought up to the beginning of this year, and the 3,303 included the Spanish garrison. The craft under false colors were promptly confiscated.

No attention was paid to the houses flying flags any more than to those which flew none. But it would seem as if the authorities must have at some time required the surrender of all American flags of size in the place or that the inhabitants have not sought possession of the stars and stripes, for even after the city was wholly in the hands of the United States forces there was scarcely an American emblem to be seen except those of the soldiers and a comparatively small number of the miniature flags which are sold as buttonhole insignia by the hucksters at home.

The stores on Thursday were most of them shut. Some, chiefly those of Porto Ricans or of persons able to hoist a foreign flag, were doing a small business. Timid provision dealers, whose trade made it necessary that they remain open, shivered when Americans entered to buy, fearing that if they sold to the pigs the Spaniards might come back and cut them up for doing so or that Spanish sympathizers among their customers would show resentment. In some cases these men gave away whatever an American asked for, but "t'rew fits for suro" at his first essay to get out his pocketbook. They would have none of his money. Later in the day, when the Americans became more numerous and showed a corresponding increase of capacity, it is fair to say the tradesmen of this type became less squeamish. They took money and made change.

Smart natives were able to turn a good thing in a monetary way early on the day of the Americans' arrival. They cunningly quoted prices in dollars instead of pesos, and quietly took the good American dollars offered them at peso value, saying nothing. When Yankee shrewdness woke up, the dollar immediately went to a premium of 100 per cent. Yesterday the same ratio prevailed. This morning the premium had declined to 75 per cent, and this afternoon in many places American silver is accepted only at par with Spanish. It made men groan to part even with the cartwheels at no better than par with the Spanish grindstones, but when they wanted what the other fellows had it had to be done. The law of supply and demand was seen in active operation right at home. American gold and notes continued at the 75 per cent premium. Porto Rican notes are refused absolutely.

One reason given for the sudden appreciation of the island silver is the locking up of so much of it at the new custom house, most of Colonel Hill's $21,000 being in the native coins. When this is returned to circulation, the premium on the American coins is expected to come again into being. There are not wanting in the interim advocates of an order from the American authorities to fix an arbitrary rate of exchange on the island coinage and currency. With the custom house at the playa and the bulk of retail business at the town proper there is opportunity in the absence of an official exchange ratio for a considerable range in the matter.

A very curious feature of the streets is the milk delivery. This takes place before and during the noon, or breakfast, hour, breakfast being taken here between 12 and 2 o'clock. Sometimes the milk is still being sold at 4 or 5 o'clock. The milkman drives from door to door from one to four or five cows, each branded with a number and usually one or more of them accompanied by a calf. The driver cries his approach, and the customer fetches or sends out a pan, pail, bottle or cup, which he hands to the milkman. The milkman puts into the receptacle the quantity of milk paid for, which he induces the cow to yield after the usual manner. The operation is repeated at each customer's, and some of the American soldiers are taking advantage of the opportunity offered to get warm milk.

Some citizens of Ponce, who have not been in sympathy with the Spanish government, have made up what they term the collection of lies, consisting of the mendacious telegrams, purporting to give the news of land and naval engagements between Spaniards and Americans, which have been issued by the government for public consumption. It forms quite a fat book. One of the dispatches, published on July 12, told of "the glorious destruction of Cervera's squadron." "The Spanish navy may die, but never surrenders," it says, and adds that after a glorious combat all the Spanish vessels sank "after giving battle to Sampson's fleet and sinking the New York, Massachusetts, Annapolis and another gunboat, the name of which is not given."

Went Home Too Soon.

Weyler made a mistake by not remaining in Cuba and getting into the surrender. He might, like Cervera, have become an American hero.—Pittsburg Times.

Better Look Twice.

Uncle Sam had better look twice before he Philippines.—Toledo Bee.

Got It Right at Last.

A farmer who had lost a son in the war employed the village poet to write an obituary, which ran as follows:

He for his country fit and fout
Until death blowed his candle out.

"That won't do," said the bereaved parent, "kase they don't use candles now. Take another whirl at it." The poet squared his jaws and presently produced the following:

He fit and fout with gun and knife
Till death blowed out the gas of life.

"That's better, now!" exclaimed the farmer. "I've blowed out the gas myself a-many a time!"—Atlanta Constitution.

Collector's Notice.

Office of the Collector of Taxes,
Lowell, Mass., Aug. 5, 1898.

The owners and occupants of the following described parcels of real estate, situated in the city of Lowell, in the county of Middlesex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and the public are hereby notified that the taxes thereon severally assessed for the year hereinafter specified, according to the list submitted to me as collector of taxes for said city by the assessors of taxes remain unpaid, and that said parcels of real estate will be offered for sale at public auction at the office of the collector at city hall, on Wednesday, September 7, 1898, at 10 o'clock a. m., for the payment of said taxes, with the costs and charges thereon, unless the same shall be previously discharged.

No. 99—Ward 8, precinct 1. Amasa Howard, 5595 square feet of land, more or less, being Lot No. 12 Edwards street, on the east side of said street, between land now or formerly of O. Morrill on the north, and land now or formerly of B. W. Johnson on the south.
Tax of 1896, $2.25.

No. 100—Ward 8, precinct 3. Dorothy Keniston, 1875 square feet of land, more or less, being Lot No. 461 Quebec street, on the west side of said street, between land now or formerly of E. A. Thissell on the north, and land now or formerly of A. L. Wright on the south.
Tax of 1896, $1.50.

No. 101.—Ward 8, precinct 1. Edward P. McCoy, 1 1-4 acres of land, more or less, with buildings thereon, situate No. 5 Dublin Lane, on the west side of said lane, between land now or formerly of John Sayers on the north, and land now or formerly of John and J. F. Sayers on the south.
Tax of 1896, $11.25.

No. 102—Ward 8, precinct 1. Edward D. McVey, 4,000 square feet of land, more or less, with buildings thereon, situate No. 519 Westford street, on the north side of said street, between land now or formerly of Kingsley and Woodward on the east, and land now or formerly of John A. Hunt on the west.
Tax of 1896, $33.00.

No. 103—Ward 8, precinct 2. Avery J. Marshall, 10000 square feet of land more or less, with buildings thereon, situate No. 215 Parker street, on the north side of said street, between land now or formerly of A. Marshall on the east and Wilder street on the west.
Tax of 1896, $39.00.

No. 104—Ward 8, precinct 2. Avery J. Marshall, 5329 square feet of land more or less, with buildings thereon, situate No. 207 Parker street, on the north side of said street, between land now or formerly of Thomas Fay on the east, and land now or formerly of A. Marshall on the west.
Tax of 1896, $22.50.

No. 105—Ward 8, precinct 2. Avery J. Marshall, 10,000 square feet of land, more or less, being Lot No. 16, Chelmsford street, on the east side of said street, between land now or formerly of Joseph Welch on the south, and land now or formerly of John Bailey on the north.
Tax of 1896, $7.50.

No. 107—Ward 8, precinct 2. Frank McMahon, 22,500 square feet of land, more or less with buildings thereon, situate No. 539 Chelmsford street, on the west side of said street, between land now or formerly of Mary Prudhomme on the north and land now or formerly of James H. Wright, on the south.
Tax of 1896, $36.00.

No. 108—Ward 8, precinct 2. Frank McMahon, 4655 square feet of land, more or less, being Lot No. 14 Houghton street, on the east side of said street between land now or formerly of J. W. Bennett and John Harriman on the north and land now or formerly of J. W. Bennett on the south.
Tax of 1896, $3.75.

No. 111—Ward 8, precinct 1. Mary M. Pierce, 5,000 square feet of land, more or less, with buildings thereon, situate No. 9 Sayles street on the west side of said street, between land now or formerly of M. Wilcox and T. Cahill on the north and land now or formerly of William E. Livingston on the south.
Tax of 1896, $10.50.

No. 113—Ward 8, precinct 1. Sarah P. Stiles, 2532 square feet of land, more or less, with buildings thereon situate No. 17 Watson avenue on the north side of said avenue, between land now or formerly of June Noble on the east, and land now or formerly of L. P. Montferrand on the west.
Tax of 1896, $11.25.

No. 114—Ward 8, precinct 3. Unknown owner, 350 square feet of land, more or less, being Lots Nos. 431 and 432 Montreal street, on the south side of said street, between land now or formerly of the Lowell & Andover railroad on the east and land now or formerly of the Old Colony railroad on the west.
Tax of 1896, $0.75.

No. 115—Ward 8, precinct 3. Unknown owner, 5625 square feet of land, more or less, being Lot No. 511 Montreal street, on the north side of said street, between land now or formerly of Mrs. M. L. Goddard on the east, and land now or formerly of D. F. Tombs on the west.
Tax of 1896, $2.25.

No. 116—Ward 8, precinct 3. Sarah and Nellie A. Upton, 5700 square feet of land more or less, with buildings thereon, situate at No. 10 Washington street, on the east side of said street, between land now or formerly of I. M. Grafton on the north and land now or formerly of J. H. Kennedy on the south.
Tax of 1896, $26.25.

No. 118—Ward 8, precinct 3. Edgar F. Barclay, 5806 square feet of land more or less, with buildings thereon, situate No. 37 Washington street, on the west side of said street, between land now or formerly of S. C. Smiley on the north and land now or formerly of H. H. Beard on the south.
Tax of 1896, $33.75.

No. 119—Ward 8, precinct 3. Nathaniel Batchelder, 1757 square feet of land, more or less, with buildings thereon, situate No. 238 Plain street, on the north side of said street, between land now or formerly of Duane P. Stacy on the west, and land now or formerly of William L. Farnham on the east.
Tax of 1896, $18.75.

No. 120—Ward 8, precinct 3. Otis B. Bates, 1875 square feet of land, more or less being Lot No. 187 Montreal street, on north side of said street, between land now or formerly of Elizabeth Andrews on the east, and land now or formerly of Lamson and Thissell on the west.
Tax of 1896, $1.50.

No. 121.—Ward 8, precinct 3. James A. Cheever, 8818 square feet of land, more or less, being Lots Nos. 426, 427, and part of 428 Plain and Main streets, on the northeast corner of said streets between land now or formerly of the Old Colony railroad on the east and Montreal street on the north.
Tax of 1896, $6.75.

No. 122.—Ward 8, precinct 3. Charles P. Curran, 3951 square feet of land, more or less, situate on the north side of West London street, between land now or formerly of John McMahon on the east and land now or formerly of Mrs. P. S. Webster on the west.
Tax of 1896, $3.00.

No. 123—Ward 8, precinct 3. John P. O'Connor, 2771 square feet of land, more or less, being Lot No. 500 Quebec street, on the east side of said street, between land now or formerly of J. C. Franck on the north and land now or formerly of J. A. Ellison on the south.
Tax of 1896, $0.75.

Other estates to be sold for unpaid taxes will be found advertised in the Citizen, News, Mail, Courier, and L'Etoile of this date.

Charles F. Coburn,
City Treasurer and Collector of Taxes for the City of Lowell.

NEW RECORD

IN CRICKET MADE AT CHESTERFIELD, ENG.

Chesterfield Eng., Aug. 19.—In the cricket match between Yorkshire and Derbyshire, which began yesterday, Brown and Tunnicliffe, for Yorkshire, made the sensational score of 554 before the partnership was dissolved today.

This is the world's record for first class cricket the previous record being 398.

The pair went in first yesterday and batted all day long, the score at the close of play being 503. This morning Tunnicliffe made his score 243 before he was dismissed and Brown was not out with a score of 202 and extras 1 9.

Brown soon followed, having totalled 300.

SALE POSTPONED.

The assignees of O'Hearn & Deed are forced to announce that the great bargain sale which was to have opened at 9 o'clock today, will have to be postponed until Saturday morning at 9 o'clock, owing to their inability to sort and mark the immense amount of stock which this firm carried. As it is, they will have to work night and day to complete their work and on Saturday everything will be in order and especially low prices will rule. Don't forget to read their advertisement in today's paper and that the sale will commence promptly at 9 o'clock Saturday a. m.

Miss Ada J. Tibbetts is registered at the Essex House, Salem.

Miss Rose Feeney of Adams street has returned to her home after a few days' stay with friends at Rye beach, N. H.

Miss Maggie Rabitt of Elm street and Miss Etta McHugh of Andrews street have gone to the Rangeley Lakes to stay two weeks.

Victor Delisle and wife of 160 Appleton street are among the guests at the Atlantic House, Nantasket beach.

Don't Tobacco Spit and Smoke Your Life Away.

To quit tobacco easily and forever, be magnetic, full of life, nerve and vigor, take No-To-Bac, the wonder-worker, that makes weak men strong. All druggists, 50c or $1. Cure guaranteed. Booklet and sample free. Address Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or New York.

Don't die by inches—get well—use Maltox.

Sweeten Your Breath With Cascarets. Candy Cathartic, cure constipation forever. 10c, 25c. If C. C. C. fail, druggists refund money.

Use Maltox if you are worn out.

SUPPLIES MUCH NEEDED.

Santiago, Aug. 19.—Hospital supplies and nurses are much needed. Large quantities of supplies have already been distributed by Dr. E. G. Brackett of the Massachusetts Aid association, who arrived two weeks ago. All the hospital ships leaving here are under orders to return, as the number of sick is too large for the present service. The fever is increasing among the remaining troops.

Four thousand Spanish troops have already been shipped and two transports left today with 2000 more. General Toral says more transports will be needed than have been provided. The 6000 Spanish at Guantanamo bay cannot leave before the last of the month. Sickness is increasing among them.

General Wood has ordered the sale of whisky, beer and wines stopped everywhere, and provided severe penalties for infractions of the rule. Restaurant keepers are greatly depressed by this order, which confines their sale of drinks to coffee and lemonade.

Clara Barton and a large portion of her force will leave the first of next week.

Those Absent Ones.

The mayors of Ponce, San Juan and other Porto Rican cities were detained by pressing business from attending the present convention of American municipalities, but they will probably be on hand next year.—Detroit Free Press.

DON'T YOU WITCH

you had a pint bottle of Doan' Witch Hazel—only 25c. 399 Central St.

GERMAN HATE

Clearly Shown to Americans at Manila.

Tried to Prevent Capitulation of the City and Was Leagued With Augustin—Future of the Philippines -- Spain's Commissioners Appointed—Other Despatches.

Hong Kong, Aug. 19.—It appears that Governor General Augustin did not quite abdicate; he only declined to be responsible for the consequences. When he found that Spain was not sending him help, he retained his position, but practically washed his hands of the fighting. This was construed as insubordination, and The Gazette published an order to supersede him. It is rumored that confidential instructions were given to his successor to resist to the utmost, hoping to gain the world's admiration and, possibly, assistance in securing a favorable termination.

A telegram arrived Aug. 7, ordering the Americans to proceed immediately to extremities, whereupon General Merritt and Admiral Dewey issued an ultimatum allowing 48 hours for the removal of non-combatants, but declaring that they would begin the bombardment earlier if the Spaniards made any attack. The governor replied immediately, thanking the American commanders for their humane sentiments, but saying that they were useless, because he was surrounded with rebels and had no place of refuge for the great number of sick and wounded, and women and children.

The governor convened the consuls, begging them to use their influence with the Americans to get them to grant him time and facilities for the removal of the refugees, and suggesting the use of the American troopships; but he was unwilling to allow them food from Manila. He seemed indifferent to the fate of the 100,000 natives. The British consul made a powerful appeal to the governor to surrender, glorifying the heroism hitherto shown by the Spanish, but demonstrating the hopelessness of further resistance. The other consuls endorsed his appeal, with the exception of the German consul, who said that, as a military officer, he should hesitate to assert that the Spaniards had done enough yet.

In consequence of the American ultimatum the governor ordered the artillery to cease shelling the enemy's trenches, and he suspended an officer at Malate for disobeying his orders. A Spanish commercial deputation waited upon the governor and begged him to surrender, saying that otherwise they would be utterly ruined. The civil members of the council of war favored a surrender, but the military members did not dare to endorse such a request. Officers admitted the futility of resisting the Americans.

The British consul promptly arranged for four launches, under a white flag, to remove British subjects and also for one launch for the Chinese. Swarms of Spanish and native half-caste women and children begged to be provided with means for escape.

CEDED THE ARCHIPELAGO.

London, Aug. 19.—The Hong Kong correspondent of the Mail says: "The terms of the capitulation of Manila as agreed upon Saturday between General Jaudenes and General Merritt include the cession of the Philippine archipelago to the United States.

"An American naval officer who arrived from Manila on the Zafiro tells me that the Americans practically walked into Manila. The operations, he says, were confined to the Malate side of the city, where the Spaniards had a fort and two lines of trenches. The troops waded through the Malate river and walked up the beach as though going to lunch, meeting practically no opposition.

"I learn that when General Merritt went ashore after the capitulation of Manila he experienced some difficulty in finding General Jaudenes, who was ultimately found in a church among women and children."

FUTURE OF THE PHILIPPINES.

Paris, Aug. 19.—America's position in the far east is attracting great attention. One paper says: "The Americans will quadruple the value of the Philippines, and Manila will become the rival of Hong Kong. The United States will have a preponderating situation in Chinese waters. There is no market they desire more eagerly than the Chinese, and though they have been forestalled by other powers, they will assuredly overtake their rivals by the rapidity of their progress in that region, and in the coming break up of the Chinese empire the United States will not be content with the worst fortunes for their heritage."

The Times, while congratulating France upon the role of peacemaker, recognizes the fact that it is not always a good thing to put a finger between the hammer and the anvil, saying: "The United States will not hear a word of intervention; and France has no interests in compromising herself gratuitously with a country evidently destined for a more active part in great international affairs. It would be artless to count overmuch on Spanish gratitude."

NO COURT OF INQUIRY.

Washington, Aug. 19.—In reference to a report that Surgeon General Sternberg had asked the secretary of war for a court of inquiry, the secretary stated that on Aug. 4 the surgeon general made a full explanation with reference to the deficiency in medical supplies at Santiago, showing that ample supplies had been sent with the troops from Tampa, but owing to difficulties connected with the landing at Siboney a considerable proportion of the supplies had been left on the transports. In the same letter the surgeon general requested that if this statement was not considered satisfactory a court of inquiry should be appointed to ascertain if there was any responsibility on his part or that of the officers to whom the orders for supplies had been sent. There is no suggestion that a court is to be ordered.

QUESTION OF JURISDICTION.

Washington, Aug. 19.—A point on which officials are without definite information is the extent of our present authority in the Philippines. Under the protocol the United States was given the occupation of Manila, with the bay and harbor, until a permanent disposition of the Philippine question was reached, but according to press dispatches General Merritt and Admiral Dewey received the capitulation of the entire Philippine archipelago. There appears to be some doubt therefore as to whether our present authority and jurisdiction cover Manila only, or extend over all the Philippines as provided by the reported terms of capitulation. There is a disposition to await fuller information before laying down a policy as to the extent of our jurisdiction in the islands.

ALL WANT TO REMAIN.

Washington, Aug. 19.—Up to the present time it looks as if all the volunteers wanted to remain, and the mustering out will have to be by arbitrary order. Information received at the department indicates that the desire to remain in the service is not confined to the officers, but that the rank and file wish to continue. The department will wait until all information possible is obtained when, if no troops desire to return to their homes, selections in the best judgment of the officers will be made. The troops when mustered out will be transported to their homes.

ACT OF COURTESY ONLY.

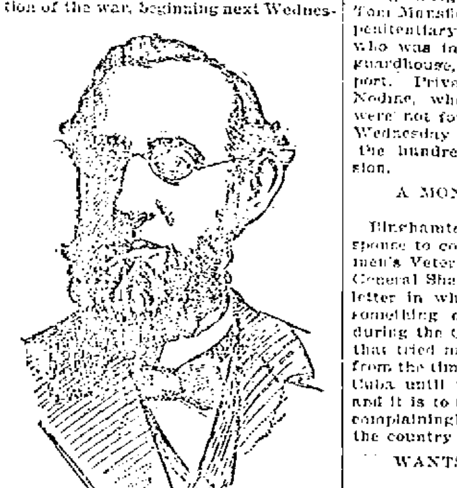
Berlin, Aug. 19.—Official and leading papers display anxiety to show that the removal of Governor General Augustin from Manila was in no way intended to offend America, but was a mere act of international courtesy. The Kolnische Zeitung and The Post follow the Nord Deutsche Allgemeine Zeitung in declaring that Admiral Dewey approved of General Augustin's departure; but all semi-official explanation fails to explain why so much secrecy was observed.

SPAIN'S COMMISSIONERS.

London, Aug. 19.—The Madrid correspondent of The Daily News says that Generals Blanco, Castellanos and Leon and Admiral Materola have been appointed commissioners for Cuba and Generals Macias and Ortega and Admiral Vallarino for Porto Rico. It is probable that Leon Castillo, the Spanish ambassador to France, will preside at the sessions of the Paris commission. Moret's candidature is made impossible by the hostile attitude of the press."

FOUR DAYS' JUBILEE.

New York, Aug. 19.—The Universal Peace union's American branch will hold a four days' jubilee over the cessation of the war, beginning next Wednesday morning, in the large grove belonging to the union on the banks of the Mystic river, Connecticut. Many well known speakers and prominent men and women will take part. Alfred H. Love of Philadelphia will preside.



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KEY WEST'S MENACE.

Key West, Aug. 19.—The naval base has been transferred from Key West to Norfolk. The reason for this is the appearance of yellow fever here. There are now 10 cases in the marine barracks, all the victims being marines. Forty persons in all are in the building, which is an old cigar factory, and a most rigid quarantine is being maintained. Only one of the cases is said to be serious. Whether there are any scattered cases throughout the town is not known, but this will be determined by a house to house inspection.

The marine hospital and local physicians are confident that the disease will be confined to the barracks, and that there is no danger of an epidemic. The utmost precautions are being observed, however.

JEALOUSY BETWEEN OFFICERS.

Boston, Aug. 19.—In an interview yesterday, regarding the resignations in the Sixth Massachusetts regiment, former Lieutenant Colonel Chaffin stated that he considered his act justifiable. Continuing, he said that there was undoubtedly great jealousy between the staff and field officers, and particularly was this shown against the officers of the Sixth Massachusetts. Captain Goodell of the same regiment, who also resigned, stated that at the time he thought his act was perfectly just, but had he the act to do over again, he would appear before the board of examiners rather than resign.

IS SORRY HE RESIGNED.

Boston, Aug. 19.—A special from Southbridge gives another interview with Captain Goodell, formerly of the Sixth Massachusetts, in which he finally admits that he made a great mistake in resigning. He was led to believe, he said, that it was the intention of the board of inquiry to dishonorably discharge the officers summoned to appear, trumping up the charge of incompetency, and in order to save disgrace he resigned. After his resignation had been accepted he was told that the board simply wished to gain information, and if he had complied with the summons, like Captain Barrett of Milford, he would have passed successfully. Captain Goodell deeply feels his position. He pinned too much faith on what his superior officer told him, but the mistake was discovered too late. He speaks in the highest terms of General Garretson, and finds fault with no one but himself for not using better judgment and appearing before the board as instructed.

The same dispatch contains an interview with Lieutenant Colonel Chaffin, who looks at the trouble in a different light. He claims that his popularity with the Sixth regiment caused jealousy on the part of the regular officers. Owing to the illness of Colonel Woodward, he was practically in charge of the Sixth most of the time, and the regulars, his superiors in office, were bound that his head should come off, together with other officers. As dishonorable discharge would have been their portion anyway, court-martial or no court-martial, he was forced to resign. Regarding the report about shooting stragglers, both officers stated that they had never been officially notified to enforce such a rule, still that was the understanding all along the line.

GERMANS HELP SPANISH.

London, Aug. 19.—The Singapore correspondent of The Daily Mail says: "The native rebellion in the Philippines has extended to the hemp provinces in South Luzon. Heavy fighting occurred at Taglatuan, Pilar and Ponsol, the immediate cause being outrages committed by the Spaniards at Taglatuan. The Spanish also burned Pilar and massacred 500 natives. The insurgents are concentrating at Albay with the object of cutting off the retreat of numerous Spaniards in the Camarinas province.

"A German cruiser has been carrying dispatches from the captain general of the Vizayas islands to the district between Cebu and Iligan, and the Spanish military depot in Mindanao. The Rosario, flying the German flag, has also been transporting troops thence to Iloilo."

ARREST OF VOLUNTEERS.

Fall River, Aug. 19.—Privates E. J. McCormack of company D, George McLane of company M, Michael Lowry of company D, Ed McKenna and George McCrea of company M, Forty-seventh New York, and James H. Jennings of the Fifth Massachusetts were arrested here last evening for overstaying leave, or disrespect to Lieutenant White of Fort Adams, who was on provost service. Jennings was arrested at the point of a pistol, and later released, his pass being all right. The others, together with Tom Mansfield, who is alleged to have a penitentiary record in several states and who was taken for breaking from the guardhouse, were taken back to Newport. Privates Valentine, Roach and Nodine, who escaped with Mansfield, were not found. The troops were paid Wednesday and visited Fall River by the hundred, irrespective of permission.

A MONTH OF HARDSHIP.

Binghamton, N. Y., Aug. 19.—In response to congratulations from the Women's Veteran Relief union of this city, General Shafter wrote from Santiago a letter in which he said: "I have seen something of hard service, but never during the Civil War was there 30 days that tried me as the 30 days beginning from the time we landed on the island of Cuba until the surrender of Santiago, and it is to the gallant soldiers who uncomplainingly bore every privation that the country is indebted for its victory."

WANTS TO BE RETAINED.

Salem, Mass., Aug. 19.—Colonel Pfaff of the First Massachusetts heavy artillery wired Secretary Alger yesterday, in which he asked that the regiment be retained in service. He expressed a hope that the department would not decide to muster out the men, as has been intimated.

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WANTED—Housegirls at the Lowell Employment Office, 534 Merrimack street, opposite City hall.

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LOST—Between Royal and Mt. Vernon streets Tuesday morning, a lady's Silver Swiss Watch, open face, monogram on back of case. Reward at Otis Allen & Son's office, 100 Mt. Vernon street.

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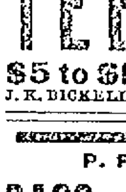

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If you want a bicycle, go right up to the Thompson Hardware company. They have a bicycle built to sell for $85.00. You can buy it for $17.50. Only a few left.

The following Lawrence men are serving in the Lowell companies in the Sixth and Ninth regiments: Company M, Ninth regiment—Manley Barrett, John A. Logan, George A. Morris, John J. Winn.

Sixth regiment, Company G—L. Burton Upham.

If any of the persons who were riding on the electric car last Sunday, which left Lynn for Lowell about 4 p. m., and on which the boy was injured at Reading, will call at No. 63 Central street, Room 7, they will do a great kindness to the parents of the injured boy.

SPECIAL MEETING.

There will be a special meeting of the mule spinners union at their hall on Middle street tonight to elect a marshal and two aids for the Labor parade. All the members are respectfully requested to attend.

SCALP WOUND.

Gustaf Anderson, aged 61 years, while drunk last night, fell on Lawrence street, sustaining a severe scalp wound. He was arrested by Officer Healey. Upon his arrival at the station the wound was bleeding profusely and he was removed to St. John's hospital.

FUNDS EXHAUSTED.

The funds contributed for "Country Week" are exhausted and still there are several people waiting for and needing a week's rest. These cases are all urgent ones—people who are ill or overworked, for whom a respite from daily tasks seems imperative. Will no one help this worthy charity?

OSCEOLAS' PICNIC.

The tenth annual union picnic of the Osceolas of Lowell, Lawrence, Haverhill, Woburn and Malden will be held at Shawsheen river grove, Thursday, August 25. The proceeds will be donated to Company L, Sixth Massachusetts Regiment. The committee on arrangements consists of John Smith, Moses Grimes, Archie Hood, Harry W. Thompson and James Williamson of Lowell.

SOCIAL PARTY.

An enjoyable social gathering was held last night by the Dandy Black associates at the home of a member on Dummer street. About 50 young lady friends assisted in making the affair a grand success. During the evening a musical and literary program was given. Piano solos were rendered by Miss Etta Tully, Hanah Lyons and Nellie O'Brien and Mr. Joe Quinn; recitation, Patrick Quinn; vocal solos, Fred Cox, Peter Conroy and Neil Cronin. Dancing was also a feature. The officers in charge were: Patrick Quinn, general manager; Martin Miskella; floor director; Frank Doherty chief of nine aids.

LOWELL RELATIVES.

OF WHITTAKER SCOFIELD DID NOT KNOW HIS WHEREABOUTS.

Whittaker Scofield, who had such a narrow escape from death at White Plains, N. Y., resided in this city at 1 Billerica street until three months ago, when he left this city with an intention of enlisting. His brother, Joseph Scofield figured in the School street accident in which a man named Craven was killed. There are also two sisters in Lowell, Mrs. Alfred Watson and Mrs. Harry Stafford.

CAMP MEETING.

A LOWELL MAN ELECTED AS SECRETARY.

The Weirs, N. H., Aug. 18—At the annual meeting of the Methodist Camp Meeting association held this afternoon the following officers were elected: President, Rev. O. S. Baketel, Manchester; secretary, Rev. J. A. Bowler, Lowell, Mass.; treasurer, Rev. A. C. Goult, Manchester; executive committee, L. P. Durgin, Concord; Henry C. Lisbon, Lisbon; W. J. Morrison, The Weirs; Rev. J. E. Robbins, Dover; Rev. R. E. Wolcott, Suncook; Rev. L. R. Danforth, Lancaster; Rev. J. D. Legro, Lisbon; Rev. W. C. Bartlett, Whitefield; J. F. Needo, Meredith.

District Epworth league officers were elected as follows: President, Rev. J. Dinsmore, Haverhill; vice president, Rev. W. T. Carter, East Haverhill; Rev. R. T. Wolcott, secretary; and treasurer, Elizabeth B. Dyer; superintendent junior league, Mrs. J. Roy Dinsmore, Bath.

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CHEATED THE GALLOWS

Pennsylvania Murderer Didn't Wait for the Ordeal.

Strangled and Bled to Death—Was to be Executed for Wife Killing.

Norristown, Pa., Aug. 19.—Charles O. Kaiser, who was to have been hanged two weeks from next Tuesday for the murder of his wife, Emma Kaiser, committed suicide in the county jail by cutting several arteries in his arm, after which he hanged himself with an improvised rope made by twisting one of his bed-sheets. While the condemned man was preparing to cheat the gallows, the prison officials were in conference concerning the purchase of a scaffolding by which to carry out the law. As a consequence, Kaiser was not being watched. When found he had been dead but a short time.

Kaiser had obtained a spring from an alarm clock in his cell, and with this severed several arteries in his arm. To make sure of his act he had twisted the bed-sheet about the bars of the cell door and, making a noose, placed it about his neck. He both strangled and bled to death.

Mrs. Kaiser was murdered on the night of Oct. 28, 1896. She and her husband had gone driving, and she never returned alive. Kaiser told a story of being attacked by highwaymen, who had robbed him and his wife and then killed her and shot him. He was arrested and convicted for the crime and subsequently confessed, implicating James A. Clemmer and his mistress, Lizzie Dekalb, known through witnesses as the "woman in black."

Clemmer and the Dekalb woman were apprehended in New Jersey over a year later, and Kaiser and the woman testified that Clemmer fired the fatal shot. The woman pleaded guilty to being accessory after the fact. Clemmer was convicted and sentenced to death. Both Clemmer and the woman occupy cells in the jail close to where Kaiser took his life.

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19c Wash Dress Goods,	5c yard	25c Smelling Salts,	10c yard	20c Seamless Hose,	9c pair	12c Skirt Braid,	7c piece
$1.00 Night Robes,	69c each	35c Pk. Puff Ties,	19c each	50c Hair Brushes,	25c each	25c Oriental Laces,	9c yard
50c Dress Goods	25c yard	25c Black Silk Mitts,	12 1-2c pair	10c Glycerine Soap,	5c cake	10c Pearl Buttons,	5c dozen
6c Bleached Crash,	1 1-2c yard	65c Oil Stoves,	37c each	200 yd Sewing Thread,	1c spool	39c Shirt Waists,	10c ea
25c Ladies' Hosiery,	15c pair	25c Mason's Fruit Jars,	48c doz	12 1-2c Garter Elastic,	5c yard	20c Leather Purses,	10c ea
$8.50 Ladies' Suits,	$3.98 each	85c Wash Boilers,	45c each	5c Common Pins,	1c paper	25c Men's Neckwear,	12 1-2c ea
$1.50 Men's Shirts,	57 each	$1.98 Trimmed Hats,	49c each	12 1-2c Boys' & Girls' Hose,	5c pair	25c Side Combs,	15c pair
$3.50 Tan Bicycle Boots,	$2.29 pair	69c Untrimmed Hats,	10c each	12c Embroidery Handkerchiefs,	5c ea	10c Belt Pins,	5c ea
25c Jersey Vests,	14c each	$3.50 Trimmed Hats,	98c each	$1 Dr. Warner's Corsets,	49c pair	50c Leather Purses,	25c ea
$1.08 Odd Jackets,	25c each	25c Leather Belts,	10c each	50c Best Corsets,	39c pair	20c Waist Sets,	10c set
$1.25 Bicycle Leggins,	49c pair	50c Leather Belts,	25c each	25c Ladies' Bow Ties,	12 1-2c ea	25c Stick Pins,	10c ea
60c Trimmed Drawers,	29c pair	50c Boys' School Waists,	25c each	50c "Crom" (Lavender) Salts,	29c bot	8c Hair Pin Boxes,	3c box
$4.50 Linen Crash Suits,	$1.98 each	25c Tray Cloths,	15c each	20c Side Combs,	10c pair	8c Faderhaken Hooks,	2c doz
$2.00 Boys' Calf Shoes,	89c pair	50c White Skirts,	25c each	50c Waist Sets,	25c set	25c Dress Shields,	9c pair
25c Child's Button Boots,	39c pair	Half Gal. Bot. Ammonia,	10c	15c Stick Pins,	5c ea	50c Steel Scissors,	25c pair
25c Books (200 titles),	5c vol	3 Cakes Buttermilk Soap for	10c			20c Whisk Brooms,	10c ea
50c Men's White Shirts,	27c each	Woodbury's Facial Soap,	15c cake			69c Shirt Waists,	25c ea
$1.69 White Skirts,	98c each	12c "Lilac Blanc" Soap,	5c cake			5c Col. Bor. Handkerchiefs,	2 ea

FONTAINE CONFESSES

THAT HE ENTERED THE BRISTOL DEPOT.

Frank Fontaine, who was arrested in this city on a charge of breaking and entering the railroad station in Bristol has been turned over to the Grafton county authorities.

To Marshal Rand, who took him from this city, Fontaine admitted that he alone was responsible for the break. He said that he found the door of the station open and was only compelled to break open the drawer in order to get at the tickets. He took ten mileage books and ten tickets, one of which he used to get to this city, and another to Nashua, en route to his home in Lowell.

Fontaine resides with his mother in Lowell and has served one term of five years in the Concord, Mass., reformatory for a job similar to the one done at Bristol.

CRICKET MATTERS.

The St. John's Cricket club, second eleven, will play Lowell Zions in this city, Saturday, August 20.

The following players have been selected to represent the Arlington-Parkvales against the North Billerica C. C. in this city on Saturday next. A. Bold, captain; J. Callaghan, J. Barrett, J. Rawthorne, S. Midgley, J. McHugh J. Bowyer, J. Oldroyd, E. Campbell, E. Gearnis, W. Byrnes. Reserves: A. Leach and J. Cassidy. Meet at the transfer station for the 1 o'clock car.

BOXING GOSSIP.

Warren Lewis, president of the Greater New York Athletic club, secured an injunction yesterday from Justice Lambert in the supreme court, Brooklyn, to restrain Thos. F. Byrnes Alexander Brown, John F. Dowdell, and John Cantwell from giving exhibitions in the club house or conducting any business under the name of the club or using its license or its property in any way. Lewis alleges that immediately after the Sharkey-Ruhlin fight an attempt was made by the other members of the club to freeze him out. Lewis said yesterday that his reputation as a patron of sport had been hurt by these men who had tried to freeze him out and who had run the club in a disreputable manner.

The betting on the Downey-McBride fight is very even. The men meet in a return match of twenty-five rounds' duration at The Greater New York A. C., August 22.

Kid McPartland and Owen Zeigler are to box twenty-five round at the Lenox A. C., New York, tomorrow night. McPartland is slightly the favorite.

Terry McGovern and Tim Callahan, the clever Philadelphian, will meet in a return match at the Pelican A. C., Brooklyn on Saturday night. Callahan has already whipped the Brooklynite.

A San Francisco club offers a good purse for Peter Maher to meet an unknown. It's pretty good betting that the unknown is Jim Jeffries.

The National Sporting club of London is trying to arrange a match between Johnny Hughes and Jack Daly.

Tom Carpenter is in the field with an open challenge to any 115-pound man in New England. Joe Horn had a backer who is ready to bet considerable money on Joe's chances against the Woburnite.

George Kerwin of Chicago has drawn the colored line. He was offered good inducements to meet Andy Watson or Joe Gans. He refused to match with either. In view of his three fights with Chapple Jones at Chicago during the past spring, it is hard to understand Kerwin's action.

Tommy Moriarty, the Lowell boxer, has two matches on in the west. He meets Walter N olan at Chicago Monday night and he goes against Charley Burns at Louisville, Sept. 5.

BASE BALL.

The Shamrocks and Big 7 will not meet at Belle Grove tomorrow, as was previously intended. The reasons that the former team gives are that the grounds are not in fit condition to play upon and the terms of the parties in charge cannot satisfy the nine. It is thought that arrangements can be effected to have the Atlantics and Shamrocks meet on the South common.

While no deposit has been made by the managers of the Fairmounts and Wannalancits, as yet, the game is scheduled and will surely be played on the Mountain Rock grounds (weather permitting) for a purse of $50. Both teams will go after the money from the start and all the tricks that the players of both teams are acquainted with will be turned to have success perched upon their banner. Jordon and Niland will essay for honors in the box for the Fairmounts and Wannalancits respectively, and a better match could not be made. "Chuck" Davis will retain his position behind the bat and Tommy Ahearn will make his first appearance on the initial base for the Fairmounts. "Mather" Lynch will catch for the Wanns. Tom Fee and scores of rooters buoyed by the thoughts of the severe defeat the Belvidere boys crushed upon the Shamrocks will cheer their side to victory possibly. To offset this, the usual large number of Wann. rooters will be upon the scene and will do their utmost to assist the North Enders to win. As the last game the two teams played was intensely exciting and the Fairmounts claimed unfair treatment, a new interest will be lent the game and whoever wins will win by fair means.

The Elms and Atlantics have made superficial arrangements for a game to take place on the South common tomorrow.

The Mysteries of Centralville will play the Merrimack Juniors tomorrow on Fels' field. Chappy Brown will probably pitch for the former team, while the Dracuts will place their confidence in an unknown.

If King fields and bats tomorrow as well as he did in his last game, he will probably load in both the arts as both pitchers have the name of being very effective.

The following is the list of players who will play Labor Day at Mountain Rock: Wannalancits: Lynch, Grimes, Flo Murray, John Murray, Boyle, Leslie, Scully, McCarthy, Niland sub. Shamrocks: Roarke, Stirk, E. Kearns, Sullivan, J. Kearns, Fahey, Kenney, Murray, Lane.

The personnel of the Wannalancits will be precisely the same tomorrow as it was last game. The Fairmounts will differ but slightly, Tommy Ahearn filling a weak spot.

Hickey, formerly of the Shamrocks, now of Hingham, is expected back to this city in a few days.

Jack Sutherland of the famous old Orientals is being rejuvenated by backers of a prominent young team. Jack was among the best in his day and with practice he can undoubtedly find a berth among the leaders now.

The grass at Mountain Rock will be cut for the Wann-Fairmount game.

Tehhy Quinn, Bart. Murray, Pat. O'Brien and Buckey Kavanaugh have been elected a board of directors by the Shamrocks. Mike Keegan was elected a director of the Wanns, at a meeting held last night.

The persistency with which the crowds block the infield of the old Emerald grounds on the North common is very discouraging to the players of a game. And especially it is so in an exciting contest when every run and also every error counts. This fact was illustrated in the Shamrock-Wannalancit game when several apparently easy plays were rendered impossible by the handicap. For more than two hours those men who were risking $50 were in constant fear of a ball dropping in the middle of the nuisance. With men on bases, it meant sure defeat for the fielding team, but nevertheless, the crowd remained with a serenity that was disgusting. With a clear field, a week from last Saturday the score would have read something like 4 to 3 rather than 10 to 9. In years previous to this, a police officer was detailed to the North common, but this year a request for an officer has been refused by Supt. Davis. If the players were but furnished police protection the public would be treated to some fine exciting contests where no admission is charged. It would be a great boon to employes of the mills in search of spending their half holiday to good advantage.

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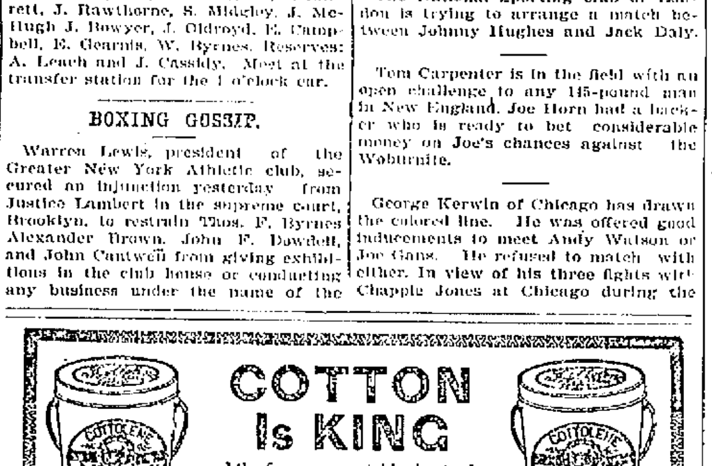

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The immense amount of stock to be assorted and marked at sale prices renders it impossible for us to open as promised. At the time of writing this apology, 11 p. m., Thursday, goods are piled high on the counters in the utmost confusion. The sale will begin

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50 Cents.

Boys' Heavy Wool Knee Pants, their price 29 cents per pair,

15 Cents Pair.

MEN'S CLOTHING

Men's Strictly All Wool Suits, color and sewing guaranteed O'Hearn & Dowd's price (special $5.00),

$2.50.

Men's Fine Cassimere Suits, their price $10.00,

$5.75.

Men's and Youths' Pants, warranted not to rip, their price $1.00 a pair,

50 Cents Pair.

Men's Fine Wool Pants, their price $2.00 a pair.

$1.00 Pair.

Overcoats and Ulsters Likewise.

Furnishing Goods

Men's Cheviot and Percale Shirts, laundered and unlaundered, O'Hearn & Dowd's price 50 cents each,

17 Cents Each.

Men's Fine Half Hose, seamless, black and tan, fast colors, their price 15 cents a pair,

6 1-4 Cents Pair.

Men's Fine Balbriggan, Merino and Jersey Ribbed Shirts and Drawers, their price 25 cents,

12 1-2 Cents.

Men's Heavy Weight Outside Wool Shirts, their price 75 cents,

35 Cents.

Men's Fancy Bosom Shirts, white bodies, their price 50 cents,

23 Cents.

HATS, HATS, HATS

Men's and Boys' Straw Hats, O'Hearn & Dowd's price 50 cents each,

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BURIED AT SEA

NIGHT EDITION

SIX O'CLOCK

GEO. WENDEN

A Lowell Soldier Buried at Sea.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, Aug. 19.—The Relief arrived here today. The Relief left Ponce on the 14th, and Mayaguese on the following day. She brings 246 sick and wounded soldiers. Four deaths from typhoid fever occurred on board while the vessel was lying in Ponce harbor and the bodies were taken ashore and buried. Their names were Philip Kopp, corporal of Company K, Sixteenth Pennsylvania; Aaron Sullivan private Fifth U. S. cavalry; Theodore Bronson, private Company A, Second Wisconsin; Charles A. Currier, private U. S. Hospital Corps.

Ten deaths occurred on the voyage, all from typhoid fever. Nine of these were buried at sea and the body of the other, Major Lawrence Smith of Philadelphia, surgeon U. S. V., was brought here. Following are the names of the nine men buried at sea:

Richard M. Stevens of Texas, packer.
Royal Young, private Company F, Nineteenth Infantry.
Leslie R. Brown, private Company B, Sixth Illinois.
John L. Barney, private, Company A, Sixteenth Pennsylvania.
George Wenden, quartermaster sergeant, Company C, Sixth Massachusetts.
William Reed, private, Company K, Fourth Ohio.
Irving Campbell, corporal Company C, Thirty-third Illinois.
Charles H. Ward, private Company C, Sixteenth Infantry.
Holland Thompson, private Hospital Corps.

The number of cases of typhoid fever on the Relief when she arrived today was 153. The Relief also brought 20 wounded men, including three officers, the most of whom were shot in the battle near Mayaguese on Aug. 10.

The following officers, suffering from various kinds of fevers, also came on the Relief:

Assistant Surgeon Charles A. Robbins, Sixth Illinois, typhoid fever; Assistant Lieut. Charles Green, Second Wisconsin, remittent malarial fever; Captain Edgar Barnes, Second Wisconsin, remittent malarial fever; First Lieut. Frank Dayton, Sixth Illinois, remittent malarial fever; First Lieut. Joseph Showalter, Sixth Illinois, remittent malarial fever; Second Lieut. Ralph Sherman, Sixth Illinois, remittent malarial fever; Major Morris F. Cowley, surgeon Fourth Pennsylvania, typhoid fever. Also Captain Arthur Lee, British military attache, remittent malarial fever.

SERGEANT WENDEN.

Quartermaster Sergeant Wenden was a popular member of Company C Sixth Massachusetts regiment, and a former member of the Ambulance Corps. Prior to his departure for the seat of war he was engaged in the photographic business at the "Freeman studio" so-called in the Hildreth building.

He was a decidedly popular young man and had been from his boyhood days a resident of the Bleachery district, residing at 6 Whidden avenue. Prior to engaging in the photographic business he was engaged in a clerical capacity in office of the Lowell Gas Light company. He is survived by a father, Gustav, a brother and two sisters, Mabel at Walsh's mills and Lulu bookkeeper at 205 High street. A good soldier has gone to his last reward. He will live long in the memory of those who knew him best.

CAPTAIN MITTEN RETURNS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

FORT MONROE VA., Aug. 19. The U. S. transport Olivette from Santiago with about 200 sick and wounded soldiers arrived here today.

This is the boat on which Captain Mitten, Company M, Ninth regiment, of Lowell took passage.

SPAIN'S POSITION IN PHILIPPINES.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

MADRID, Aug. 19.—5 p. m.—The government has resolved to insist that the capitulation of Manila after the signing of the protocol shall have no effect in the peace negotiations unfavorable to Spain.

In any event the government holds that the capitulation having been signed by the commander of the town, does not entail the surrender of the whole of the Philippines.

PRIVATE DEWELL.

Miss Jennie Dewell of Frye street has received a letter from her brother, Private "Cal" Dewell Company G, Sixth Massachusetts regiment.

It is dated Porto Rico. Private Dewell writes in the same strain as other members of the Sixth Mass. He recounts the trials and hardships of the boys of the Sixth and gives the pleasing intelligence that he is enjoying good health.

Private Dewell has, since his departure to the front encountered a terrible loss in the death of his mother.

Unknown to her, so as not to disturb her in her illness, he had enlisted for the war with Spain and before going south was allowed a furlough to go home and call on his parent who was then on what proved to be her death bed. And this was his last farewell meeting with her on earth. Truly, a soldier's life brings with it some very heartrending incidents.

THREE COMPANIES

Of the Provisional Militia Will be Accepted.

THE COMPANIES SELECTED BY GOV. WOLCOTT.

This Will End the Enlistment.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Boston, Aug. 19.—General orders have been issued from the office of the adjutant general to the effect that three companies of provisional militia have been accepted and will be mustered into the service of the commonwealth. The petitions for the companies were presented by X. E. Winship and others, Malden; Thomas L. Comstock and others of Greenfield; and S. F. Pratt and others of Braintree.

The companies mustered under these orders will, when completely organized be designated respectively as the Thirty-third, the Eleventh, and Thirty-fourth companies, provisional militia.

The general orders making these announcements are dated August 10, and they further decree that all enlistments in the provisional militia shall cease from that date in companies already mustered as well as those accepted and not mustered. No further petitions for the organization of companies for the provisional militia will be received. Such companies as have been accepted and mustered into the militia of the commonwealth will continue to occupy the armories assigned them until further orders and they will be supplied with arms and equipments upon the recommendation of the inspector general.

Brigadier General William A. Bancroft, Second Brigade, M. V. M., who has reported his resignation and discharge from the United States volunteer army, has been granted at his request six months' leave of absence commencing Aug. 18, 1898.

Lieut. Col. William H. Oakes, Fifth Regiment of Infantry, will continue in command of the Second Brigade until otherwise relieved.

SENT TO MONTAUK.

TWO SISTERS OF CHARITY FROM ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL.

The government has asked the mother house of the Sisters of Charity at Emmitsburg, Md., to supply a hundred Sisters to nurse the sick soldiers returning from the war and the request is being complied with with all expedition. The first details are to go to Camp Wickoff Montauk Point, L. I., where are the soldiers brought from Santiago.

Twenty-five Sisters will form the initial detachment and among them are two from St. John's hospital of this city. They are Sister Camilla and Sister Mary Gabriel. The former is the superintendent of the training school for nurses but as that is at present under vacation rule Sister Camilla is able to get away to the more arduous duty of caring for the sick and wounded heroes.

The order to the Sisters was received Thursday night and early this morning they started on their journey.

MONEY DEPOSITED
On or before Wednesday, Sept. 8, in the Savings Department of the TRADERS' NATIONAL BANK, will draw interest from Sept. 1st, at the rate of 4 per cent. per annum Compounded Semi-Annually.
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OUR PRISONERS

Sailed for Spain This Morning.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19.—The war department has received the following cablegram giving information of the departure of Spanish prisoners:

Santiago de Cuba, Aug. 19.

To H. C. Corbin, Adjutant General, Washington:

The Cabadonza sailed this morning with 2,148 men, 109 officers, 11 women, and 45 children. Two others are loaded and probably will sail this afternoon.

(Signed) SHAFTER, Major General.

REVOLUTIONARY LEADER CAPTURED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19.—United States Minister Hunter of Guatemala cables the state department that General Morales, leader of the revolution, was captured in a cave on Wednesday and died on his way to prison at San Sebastian.

Minister Hunter's despatch is as follows:

Guatemala, Aug. 18.

To Secretary Day, Washington:

Ocos was occupied on the 10th by the government forces and 900 sacks of coffee and other valuable property of foreigners saved from destruction. This occupation was aided without force by Captain Egan of the British gunboat Leander, acting under request of British, German and United States ministers. Morales retreated before national troop to Cuchumatanes mountains where he was surrounded and captured in a cave where he had been hiding for several days without food and ill from hunger, fatigue and exposure. Commanding General ordered him removed to San Marcos. Medical aid was summoned but he died on the way to San Sebastian last night at 11 o'clock. This is the end of the revolution.

ARCHBISHOP IRELAND AT WASHINGTON

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19.—The members of the cabinet, except Secretaries Day and Long, who are out of the city, were prompt in reaching the White House this morning for the regular session. Up to the time they met, at 11 o'clock, there was very little to disturb the quiet routine there. Archbishop Ireland was one of the notable visitors. He arrived about ten o'clock and had a conference with President McKinley. It is understood that the archbishop is empowered to make representations to the administration, looking to the protection of the interests of the church of Rome in our new territorial accessions, particularly in Porto Rico. Though he would not affirm this, when questioned, it is significant that he attempted no denial of it.

TRANSPORT ARRIVES.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, Aug. 19.—The United States transport Miami arrived this morning from Montauk Point. The Miami landed the rough riders, also General Wheeler and Col. Roosevelt from Santiago at Montauk. She will be thoroughly disinfected at quarantine and released probably this evening.

CAPT. QUIGLEY DIED.

By Associated Prose to The Sun.

AUBURN, N. Y., Aug. 19.—Captain John A. Quigley, regimental adjutant of the Third New York Infantry, now in camp at Thoroughfare, Va., died at his home in this city this morning of typhoid fever contracted at Camp Alger.

Captain Quigley was born in New York city about 35 years ago. Three weeks ago he was brought home sick and death resulted today.

He leaves a wife and three children.

PEACE FELICITATIONS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

CITY OF MEXICO, Aug. 19.—United States Minister Clayton has notified the foreign relations department of the conclusion of peace preliminaries with Spain and Minister Mariscall formally replied, congratulating the United States government that peace is now assured.

NO FURTHER CONCESSIONS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

YOKOHAMA, Aug. 19.—The Corean government referring to a German request for concessions, has notified the German consul at Seoul that it proposes to establish a railway bureau and to construct its own railways, and that therefore, no further concessions will be granted.

BARK STRANDED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LONDON, Aug. 19.—Later advices received from Montevideo, say that the report of the British bark, John Gill, Captain McKenzie from Boston, having stranded on the rocks during a hurricane when entering that port about August, 11, was not correct.

LATEST!

THE ARMY

Will be Disbanded as Soon as Possible.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Washington, Aug. 19.—The cabinet session today was brief. The disbandment of the army and the naval review were the main points of discussion. As to the former Secretary Alger stated that the details were being worked out and that considerable difficulty was being experienced in selecting the regiments to be put on the mustering out list, but he expected the matter would be in shape for the issuance in a few days of the necessary orders. The section of the personnel of the peace commission to meet at Paris was not taken up. It has been expected that there would be a discussion of the names proposed for the peace commission, but the matter was not formally broached. There were no despatches from the front laid before the cabinet. There were no important state matters discussed by the cabinet.

Acting Secretary of the Navy Allen attended the cabinet meeting. He explained the plans for the naval review and it was decided that Secretaries Alger, Gage and Bliss, Attorney General Griggs and Postmaster General Emory H. Smith would represent the administration at the review.

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5 O'CLOCK

CORP. A. D. MITCHELL, Co. G. 6th. Mass. Regt.

LOWELL BOYS FOUGHT WELL

Acted Bravely in the Fierce Attack at Guanica.

Corporal William E. Golden Cut by a Machete and Laid up in the Hospital—Corporal Mitchell's Interesting Letter—Co. G. in the Thick of the Fire.

Below will be found several interesting letters from members of the Sixth regiment from which it appears that the Sixth and the Lowell companies in particular, did some hot fighting. Corp. Mitchell writes as follows:

Ponce Porto Rico Aug. 15 1898.

Dear Mother;

We are still in camp at Ponce with no prospect of leaving here for some time. I do not know whether or not our regiment will be moved against San Juan as yet. We have got the Spaniards hemmed in and do not anticipate much more trouble from them. I am on the outpost today with a detail of three men. We are about a mile from the camp proper stationed on a high hill from where we can view the country for miles around and see well out into the harbor. We have fruit in abundance here and while we have formed a diversion against it, there should be no fears of our dying by starvation. Just as I am writing this letter to you, one of the Ninth boys has brought in a large meal bag full of sweet corn and we are about to cook it for dinner. His name is Sleard. Willie knows him. He has a brother in Company H, and they are both Lowell boys. I got bit the night before last by a centipede on the neck. The swelling caused by the bite kept getting larger through the night but after enjoying a sleep, I woke up to find that the lump had almost disappeared and nothwithstanding that the bite was poisonous, I am feeling well and am as lively as my other comrades. The surgeon cauterized the wound. I suppose you have heard of us losing our colonel and other officers and the reasons for it. This s all at present. I remain,

Your loving son.

—Sandy.

Corp A. D. Mitchell, Co. G, 6th. Mass. Regt., Ponce, P. R.

THE FIGHTING COMPANY.

P. Wallace of Co. G. has written a letter in which he says that Co. G. Sixth Regiment, did all the fighting in an engagement they had. The letter is as follows:

Ponce, Porto Rico.
August 3, 1898.

Dear Wife:

I write you these few lines hoping to find you in good health, as this leaves me at present, thanks be to God. Dear wife, we have started on our terrible, long march from one end of the island to the other; we have just arrived at this place and the boys were dropping by the wayside. We got in camp with only 18 men out of 106, so you can see how it is; but I keep up all the time. Lots of the boys are sick, but it is worth all hardships to me to see a glad look on the poor natives' faces, for the Spanish soldiers are devils. They have gone into the houses and have thrown the men out, and abused the women, and when they found out that we were coming, they drove the young girls into the mountains. They told the natives that we would kill them if we caught them so when we came, the poor women went out on the hills and remained there all night in the rain, but when they found out that we would use them all right, they came into the town again, and are all happy. The glad look in their faces would pay us for all the hardships we have to put up with. When we landed in the town first, the Spaniards fired a few shots and ran to the hill; so guards were sent out to keep firing on them and at half past two o'clock in the morning we had to get up out of our nice soft bed and go out about three miles to drive the Spaniards back. We were walking along the road never thinking they were so near, when the Spaniards, about 30 of them, strong, fired shot after shot into us. There were only 400 men of us and it was God alone that saved us. I had a bullet go right through my hat. We chased them out of the hills and killed and wounded 40 of them. Company G did all the fighting. We don't get any news here. They tell us the war is near over. We will all be glad when it is. The last letter I got from you was dated July 6th. Kiss the baby for me; tell father and mother that I am well. Goodbye. Hoping soon to see you all I remain.

Ever your loving husband.

—P. Wallace.

CORPORAL GOLDEN.

Corporal William E. Golden of Company G, Sixth regiment, has many friends in this city who will be pleased to hear from him. In a letter to a friend, he writes:

Ponce, Porto Rico.
August 4th, 1898.

Dear George:

I am still living and in good health only I have been laid up with a cut on the foot from a machete for a week. I will be all right in a few days. When we landed on this island we had a pretty hot fight in the town of Guanica, and Company G was in the hottest of the fight. There was only one killed and six wounded in the Sixth regiment, and the Spaniards had 80 killed and 40 wounded. There were 700 Spaniards and the Sixth regiment was fighting them all alone. They had new rifles, and we had the old American Springfields and they could fire six shots to our one, but we are going to get the Krag-Jorgeson, the best in the world, today. We marched eight miles to the town of Yauco and captured that and then with five hours' sleep and some hard tack and a drink of water, we were put on a forced march of 22 miles to this town with the men falling all along the road and if you would lag back, the officer would make you brace up and they said any man who dropped out would be shot. George, they treat us terribly. Our doctor came and looked at me and ordered me to the hospital. I was in a Spanish hospital and they treated me better than the Americans. I was there two days and there were 18 privates and 2 Spanish officers in them. All the big houses are flying the same flag. We have had several skirmishes with the Spaniards since. All kinds of fruit grow here, pineapples, cocoanuts and lemons and all kinds of bananas and the natives do not wear much clothes. I will write more in my next letter. Our colonel and lieutenant-colonel and two captains and Major Taylor and the chaplain all had

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A VERMONT MAN

He Was Found in a Bath Tub Dead.

HAD ENDED HIS LIFE IN NEW YORK.

Whither He Had Gone With Friends.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

New York, Aug. 19.—Arnold Wyman, 72 years old of Brattleboro, Vt., was found dead today in the bath tub of a house at 676 Second avenue, having shot himself in the mouth. He was fully dressed. He had muffled the revolver, so that the shots were not heard.

Wyman and S. O. Miner of Brattleboro went to the Astor House yesterday morning and registered. They were not assigned to a room and went out. A few hours later Miner returned with Frank D. Moffatt, registered with him and was assigned to a room. The men then went to the police and asked that a general alarm be sent out for Wyman, who they said had been lost.

Wyman appears to have gone to 676 Second avenue, a furnished room house kept by George Smith. He had a list of such houses. He took a hall bedroom on the second floor at $2 a week, paying 50 cents on account and stating that he would pay the rest when his trunk came. He went out but returned an hour later with a bundle.

Mr. and Mrs. George Coutant, who occupy the room next to the bathroom found Wyman this morning dead in the bath tub. His right hand clutched a 32-calibre revolver, the muzzle covered with a handkerchief. The body was stiff, showing that the man had been dead some hours. No letters were left by the suicide. A bottle of chloroform labelled brandy was found in the room. In his clothing a gold watch and 35 cents were found.

THE NINTH REGIMENT.

Santiago de Cuba, via Hayti, Aug. 18.—J. D. Moriarty, Company E, Ninth Massachusetts regiment, died here today. He had a relapse of typhoid fever. The regiment has drawn only one day's rations.

The men expect to go north before the end of the week.

There are 115 men on the sick list. The hospital ship Bay State has not yet arrived.

Senator Corbett has had the ladies of Majors Grady and O'Connor disinterred preparatory to taking them north.

—J. C. O'Leary.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Spaulding and Mr. A. G. Walsh's family are in Bennington, N. H.

SERIOUS CHARGE

Against Mr. Hallinan—Held in $1000.

THE FERRYS TRIED FOR BURGLARY.

The Hearing in Court This Morning.

P. J. Hallinan, a tailor who has been about town for some time, was arrested in the Bon Marche building last night on the charge of attempted rape. It is alleged that he hired a room for the night and enticed two young girls into it. He is said to have locked the door and then attempted to assault the younger girl. Her screams, however, attracted the attention of the occupants of the block and the police were notified. Capt. Kew, Lieut. Brosnan, and Officers Ryan and Maher soon arrived on the scene, entered the room, and took Hallinan to the station.

P. J. Hallinan, charged with rape, had his case continued until next Wednesday, he being ordered in the sum of $1000.

POLICE COURT.

The court room was crowded this morning, many being attracted by the celebrated case against Peter Ferry Sr., and Peter Ferry, Jr., for alleged breaking, entering add robbing the residences of Agent Pead of the Merrimack Mfg. company and A. A. Haggett. The father is also charged with receiving and disposing of stolen property. The testimony of both defendants clashed in relation to who committed the crime each accusing the other. A corps of witnesses testified against both. The father was held in $1000 for his appearance at the superior court while the boy was continued until next Friday.

Only one drunk escaped unscathed. Three were fined $1. Catherine McNiff received four months in the common jail and Mary F. Gloss three months in the workhouse. Thomas Guthrie was found guilty of being a common drunkard and was sent to the state farm for a period of eight months.

John J. Barrett refused to support his wife and was fined $20.

Alfred Clark was fined $7.60 for assaulting William Sawyer.

GOLD HUNTERS COMING

By Associated Press to The Sun.

San Francisco, Aug. 19.—Three schooners with gold hunters are scheduled to arrive in this city from the east. Of these the Mildred B., now out 161 days from Boston, is the only one likely to get here. The Aztasia party when last heard from, was stranded at Buenos Ayres and the Stowell Sherman's crew was in the same predicament at Montevideo. The Aztasia is 174 days out from New York, and the Sherman 268 days from Boston.

ROBERTS WANTED.

Where is Samuel D. Roberts?

If he will call at Room 24, Central Block, he will hear something to his advantage.

COL. LAWRENCE J. LOGAN of the Ninth Regiment.

LIEUT. LOGAN

APPOINTED COLONEL OF THE NINTH.

Lieut.Col. Lawrence J. Logan was last night appointed to the vacant colonelcy of the 9th Massachusetts volunteers by Gov. Wolcott.

Since the death of Col. Hogan, the position of colonel of this regiment has been sought by the friends of the several candidates, whose qualifications for the place have been persistently set before the governor.

He, however, was of the mind that the honor of leading the regiment had been justly earned by the lieutenant colonel, who had at the sacrifice of personal comfort and business interests led the regiment to the front and on whom the care of it had fallen when the colonel was obliged to come home.

Gov. Wolcott signed the commission at the home of Col. Sohier in Beverly at 7.30 last evening and handed it to Senator James J. Gallivan, who has been one of the most active in pushing the claim that Lieut. Col. Logan should not be overlooked.

Mr. Gallivan lost no time in reaching the home of Col. Logan in South Boston and communicating to his family the fact of his advancement.

The news gave pleasure to all the friends of the sick officer but as he was sleeping when Senator Gallivan arrived the honor granted him. The governor was not communicated to him, but the commission was left with his son Edward, to be given to him this morning.

CITY OF LOWELL

The Old Engine Pumped by Butler "Vets."

IT MADE A REMARKABLY GOOD SHOWING

And Came in for Fourth Prize.

The play-out in the firemen's muster today was a great affair. Records were broken and had it not been for an unfortunate occurrence the Gen. Butler company of Lowell would have made a mark that would have stood for years to come.

What little wind there was favored the stream.

Of the 31 entries, 28 went on the playing stand and at the close there was a new record. The record of 212 feet, 7½ inches, made by the Watch City of Waltham, at Hartford, Conn., Sept. 12, 1895, was beaten both by the City of Lynn and by the Deluge of Cambridge. The Gen. Butler of Lowell made a splendid play, and would very likely have won had they not made a blunder. Their play showed a mark of 218 feet, but they forgot the drawback, reducing it to 210 feet 2 inches. In their excitement a nut was injured and it was impossible to work their full crew on the second trial.

Only one accident marred the day. While the Bostons were playing, the pipe got away and hit Albert Egerton of Revere. He did not at first know he was hurt but after the play was over he fell in convulsions. He was removed to a hotel and was later reported doing well.

The following was the result of the playout:

City of Lynn., Lynn., Mass.....	212	8½
Deluge, Cambridge, Mass.....	212	6½
City of Somerville Somerville..	211	2½
City of Lowell, Lowell, Mass....	210	2
Kennebec, Brunswick, Me.	208	7½
Nonantum Newton, Mass	208	4½
Whaler, New Bedford, Mass....	208	3½
Bawbeese, South Gardner, Mass.	200	8½
Veteran Charlestown, Mass.....	199	11⅞
Watch City, Waltham, Mass	199	11¾
Roxbury Vets, Roxbury, Mass ..	199	6½
City of Homes Springfield, Mass	197	5½
Gen. Putnam, Worcester, Mass.	195	3½
Unions, Peabody, Mass	192	5⅞
Gulf Stream, Fall River, Mass..	190	8
Tekeosnoow Woonsocket, R. I...	190	5½
White Angel, Salem, Mass.	190	
Hartford, Hartford, Conn	189	10½
Tiger, Newburyport, Mass	187	6½
Eagle, Lynn, Mass	185	7
Chauncey, Hyde Park, Mass...	184	5½
Boston Vet, Boston, Mass.....	178	9⅝
Torrent Manchester, N. H.	176	8
Water Witch, Pittsfield, Mass ..	176	4½
J. W. Plaisted Portland, Me.....	175	9½
Veteran, Chelsea, Mass.	173	11
Piscataqua, Portsmouth N. H...	169	5½
New London New London, Ct.	165	1¼

Judges, Asst. Chief Wm. T. Caswell, Boston; Chairman Chief F. B. Moody of Deering; Chief Frank Morse of Bath, Chief C. M. Drake of Gardner, Ex-Chief W. A. Green of Boston, Ex-Chief Edward A. Mott of Taunton. Official timekeeper, David T. Adamson of Boston.

Springfield took the prize for the best appearing company. Pittsfield received the trumpet offered by Mrs. James W. Plaisted to the company coming the greatest distance; in this case, 268 miles. Charlestown had the most men in line, and the consolation prize given to the company making the shortest play, went to New London.

TWO ALARMS

LIVELY FIRE THIS MORNING ON TYLER STREET.

An alarm from box 53 this forenoon at 10.30 o'clock summoned the fire department to quite a lively blaze in the double house, 26 and 28 Tyler street owned by Foreman Charles O. Ball of the Mail. It was caused by an old stove in the ell of the building.

The blaze extended up through three stories and although quickly subdued by the firemen considerable damage was done by the smoke and water. Mr. Ball occupied one side of the building and a family named Lathrop the other.

While the fire laddies were at work on the Tyler street fire, an unnecessary alarm came in from box 21 at the corner of Kirk and Merrimack street. It seems that no one can tell what caused the alarm.

SHORT RATIONS

ON SOME OF THE GOLD SEEKING VESSELS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

San Francisco, Aug. 19.—Information from Kotzebue Sound states that the bark Alaska was at St. Lawrence Island, July 16. Patrick L. Noonan, a passenger on the J. L. Falkenburg, writes under date of June 26, that they had arrived safely and launched their boats. C. D. Lane, of the Utica Mine, who is one of the party, went ashore and examined the black sand on the beach which he said was an indication of gold further inland.

The revenue cutter Bear called on July 16 on her way north. The bark Mermaid, which was at anchor there, was reported short of food and it was said that Captain Wickes had left the vessel.

ALDERMAN HOLBROOK

DID NOT FAVOR REMONSTRANCE ON GORHAM STREET MATTER.

Alderman Cosgrove made the statement last night at the meeting of the aldermen that Alderman Holbrook would vote for reconsideration in the Gorham street matter. A friend of the latter informs The Sun that Alderman Holbrook would not favor reconsideration at this stage, as in company with Col. Dimon, and others, he believes that the interests of the public require that the portion of Gorham street under discussion should be put in proper condition as soon as possible as the public safety and convenience demand it. If an accident should occur there while the railroad is blocked in its work, the city would be liable. The motion to reconsider was wisely defeated.

THE WEATHER.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Boston and vicinity: Clearing, weather during the late afternoon or night. Fair Saturday, winds shifting to westerly.

SENATOR CUSHMAN K. DAVIS, Who Has Accepted an Appointment as One of the Five American Peace Commissioners.

ELECTION DATES

Gathered From the Revised Election Laws.

TIME FOR HOLDING MEETINGS AND CONVENTIONS

In Towns and Cities of the State.

It will be of much help to the politicians who are perplexed over the many and complicated provisions of the revision of the election laws to paste in their hats the chronology of events to occur under that law, says the Boston correspondent of the Springfield Republican, as it is issued by the Republican State committee. The calendar was made by one who had a material share in framing the revision of the law, and so it is presumably correct in its fidelity to the spirit, as well as to the letter of the law. Registration in Boston began July 1 and will continue with various regulations until Oct. 19. The remainder of the calendar is as follows:

Sept. 27, 28.—On one of these two dates the republicans of every city and town must hold caucuses for choice of delegates to the state congressional, councillor, senatorial and county conventions and except as hereinafter provided for delegates to representative conventions and for nomination of candidates for the General Court.

Sept. 30.—Last day for appointing election officers in cities.

Oct. 1—Last day for assessment in Boston.

Oct. 4, 5.—On one of these two dates caucuses for choice of delegates to a representative district convention or for nomination of candidates for the General Court may be held.

Oct. 6, 10 a. m.—Republican state convention at Music hall, Boston. Registration opens in Boston in the several wards from 6 p. m. to 10 p. m.

Oct. 8.—Last day for registrars of voters in every city and town except Boston to post in each voting precinct preliminary alphabetical lists of voters. Last day for designating polling places.

Oct. 10.—Last day for holding conventions for nominating candidates to be voted for at large throughout the State, but certificates of nomination of dates must be filed at the office of the secretary of state by 5 p. m.*

Oct. 13.—Earliest day for holding representative conventions.

Oct. 15.—Last day for appointing election officer in towns.

Oct. 17.—nomination paper for candidates to be voted for at large throughout the state must be filed at the office of the secretary of state by 5 p.m.*

Oct. 18.—Last day for petitioning for the appointment of supervisors of elections.

Oct. 19.—Registration closes in Boston at 10 p. m. Last day for registration in all cities. Upon this day every registry of voters must be kept open from 12 o'clock noon (in Boston from 9 a. m.) until 10 p. m.

Oct. 20.—Last day for holding conventions for nominating candidates for state offices not voted for at large throughout the state, but certificates of such nominations must be filed at the office of the secretary of state by 5 p. m.*

Oct. 21.—Nomination paper of candidates not voted for at large througout the state must be filed at the office of the secretary of state by 5 p. m.*

Oct. 25.—Last day for filing complaint against incorrect and illegal registration in cities.

Oct. 29.—Registration in towns closes at 10 p. m.

Nov. 1.—Last day for filing vacancies among election officers.

Nov. 4.—Last day for filing complaint against incorrect and illegal registration in towns.

Nov. 8.—State election.

*Objections to nominations must be made within the 72 hours after the last hour for filing nomination papers.

Miss Nellie Merrill of 432 Central street is in Charlestown, the guest of her aunt. From thence she will proceed to the White Mountains.

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BICYCLE NEWS.

At the professional races in Green Bay, Wis., Wednesday, Plugger Bill Martin made a great win in the mile open.

Three professional races were on the card, not one being run of the original four scheduled. "Plugger Bill" developed as a new star when he spread out an open length ahead of the good field in the mile open, pounding his 107 gear with all his power, which is not inconsiderable, and winning a fine contest.

"Plugger Bill's" win of the one mile open was probably one of the most remarkable efforts of the season. Martin rode with a 107 gear, the largest used in an open race in this country at the shortest distance.

In the final Martin gained the front at the turn and with his back wabbling up and down and every muscle of his body in play he came to the tape a winner and a full length to the good of Stevens, who was a shade ahead of Major Taylor. Bald, Freeman, Becker, Cooper and McFarland being left back in the bunch and all fighting. The time, 2m 10s, is evidence that the race was fast, for the track was exceedingly rough and the race was run 10 feet from the pole.

The National Track association pacing team yesterday attached three tracks outside of Boston on account of back salary from the association. Some of the members are owed nearly $100 each and have taken this legal method of collecting their money, in which they hope to be backed up by the L. A. W. racing board.

The tracks attached have never paid in their assessments to the N. C. T. A. as agreed. Charles River Park, or rather the Massachusetts Athletic association has practically supported the team. Each man has a contract approved by the racing board, in which it is agreed that he shall be paid a certain amount each week, ranging from $7 to $15, according to ability. As Charles River Park's management has paid in really more than it owed the men, it will not be included in the list of attached tracks. Mr. L. H. Adams of Springfield is the treasurer.

This action on the part of the pacers will probably result in the closing of at least three tracks within a radius of 100 miles of New York, which are included in the attachments.

The N. C. T. A. pacemakers have been approached to "get up" for Edward Taylor, the French rider, in a race against Michael. Taylor has been using the allied Shafer and American association teams in his races heretofore, and as a race between him and Michael would be a hot one, sure to draw a crowd, the American association is thinking seriously of promoting it. One of the National pacers said yesterday: "If we ever do 'get up' for Taylor against Michael, we will put it on to Jimmy for fair."

Arthur K. Peck, secretary and treasurer of the Massachusetts Division, L. A. W., started yesterday for Conabar, Mont., to tour through the famous Yellowstone Park on his bicycle. Mr. Peck will be accompanied by Mr. N. G. Redfield of the County National bank New Haven, Conn. It is their purpose to combine, camping, mountain climbing and fishing with their cycling trip.

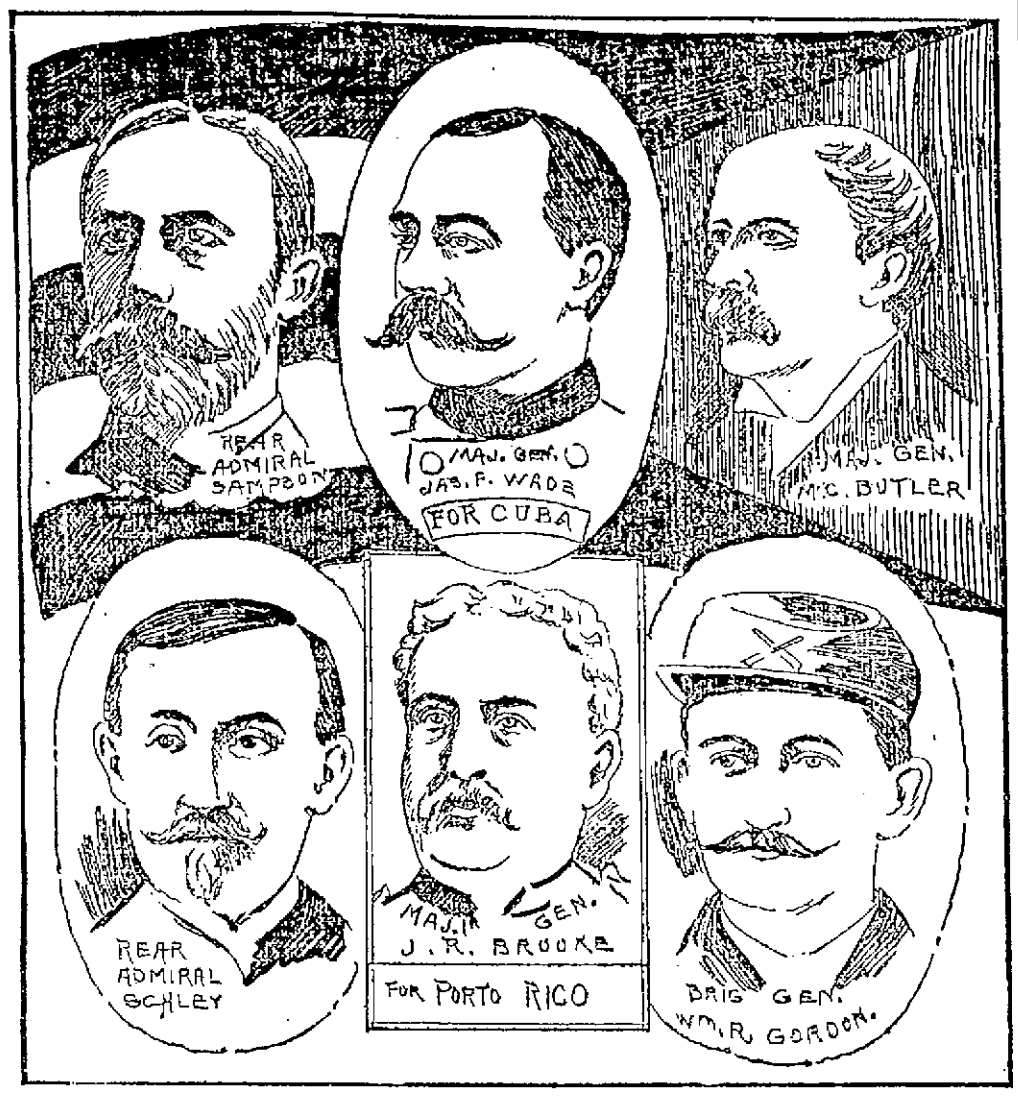
On Saturday, Sept. 10, at Hartsuff Cycle Park, Rockland, there will be a diamond race meet. There will be two amateur and one professional event. The one-mile amateur handicap will be for diamonds valued at $35, $25, and $15, and the two-mile amateur handicap race will be for diamonds of the same value. Three prizes will be given the mile professional handicap, to be divided as follows: $30, $20, and $10. Kid St. Onge, the trick cyclist, will also give an exhibition.

Frank Waller, accompanied by Chas. G. Percival, left yesterday for Baltimore, where Waller has a 24-hour race on with Louis Gimm. Waller's pacemakers, to the number of sixteen, will go on later, under the management of W. F. Stafford.

Messrs. Knapp, Gray, Booth and Denny of the Tigers, who left in April on a transcontinental trip, have split. Gray and Denny are in Indian Territory and Knapp and Booth in Colorado.

MATRIMONIAL.

Mr. George F. Haskell, formerly of Lowell and Miss Laura Munroe of Concord Junction were married Thursday afternoon at the home of the bride. Rev. H. E. Hinckley of Lowell, a former room-mate of the bridegroom, officiated. Many useful presents were bestowed upon the young couple. After a short wedding trip they will be "at home" at Concord Junction, Sept. 1.



CUBAN AND PORTO RICAN COMMISSIONERS.

Appointed on Behalf of the United States to Arrange for the Evacuation of the West Indies by Spain's Armies and Officials.

ALDERMEN CUT UP PRANKS

Heated Discussion Characterized the Meeting Last Night.

Goward and Tuttle Try to Vote on a Motion That Was Defeated at the Previous Meeting—Members Refuse to Serve on a Conference Committee.

The aldermen got into a great mix-up last night, and the feeling that has ben engendrd as a rsult of the street railroad fight cropped out at times.

Charges and denials were indulged in and for a time excitement reigned. It all grew out of the attempt of Aldermen Goward and Tuttle to have their vote recorded on a motion presented at the last meeting and on which they refused to vote at the time.

When Alderman Rivet presented his motion to allow the street railway company to continue the work of paving Gorham street, both the aldermen mentioned refused to vote. Their action was criticised in the press and last night they sought the opportunity to go on record.

Mr. Goward spoke of his refusal to vote at the last meeting and of the criticism that had been directed at him as the result of his action. It seemed he said, that an alderman had no right to take under deliberation a matter of such grave importance.

"I obtained my desire, though in a roundabout way, and I request the clerk to record me as voting no on the resolution."

"I shall take the same ground," said Mr. Tuttle "and I ask to have my vote recorded in the negative."

Mr. Peirce and Gen. Dimon raised the point that this action was irregular and the former suggested that it might raise a question in litigation.

Mr. Goward defended his action as being sustained by precedent.

Mr. Peirce said that the records had never been tampered with before and could not now. The gentlemen had been sitting on the fence for two days and if the pickets protruded through their coat tails and they wished now to change their minds, he was willing to give them every opportunity, if it could be done legally.

Mr. Cosgrove said that the action was in order.

Mr. Libby said he had not absorbed as much parliamentary law as some of the other gentlemen, but if the chair ruled that the action was in order, then a vote might be recorded for a year back.

Alderman Dimon insisted the matter was settled at the last meeting and nothing further could be done.

"In defiance of the rules of the board these two gentlemen refused to have their votes recorded at the last meeting," said Mr. Peirce. "The whole thing now is a parliamentary tangle that may lead to litigation in which the city may be a loser."

"I shall decide that neither one has the right to change his vote," said the mayor.

"We don't ask to change our vote," said Mr. Goward.

"I should say, the right to vote," corrected the mayor. "This matter has been up for two months and these gentlemen asked for no further time."

"I asked for two days," said Mr. Goward.

"And it was voted down," replied the mayor.

Alderman Derby was then recognized and said:

"I remember that at the last meeting the gentleman after he tried to get action postponed until this evening, said that he was not going to have anyone force him to vote."

Said Mr. Rivet: "I didn't want to mention this, but one of these gentlemen who failed to vote pushed me on at the last meeting to make a test case of the railroad."

"I was the one who asked to have the matter brought up at he last meeting," said Mr. Derby.

"If the gentleman referred to me," said Mr. Goward, "he is mistaken. I asked him not to put it in that night."

"It is my impression that you did," replied Mr. Rivet.

"I ask the clerk to read the record of the last adjournment," said Gen. Dimon. "I ask the mayor if he did not inform me that the meeting could be held next Thursday week?"

"I did not," answered the mayor emphatically.

"I understood you to. I ask for the record."

Clerk Dadman read from a stenomatter brought up at the last meeting" The meeting had been adjourned to "Thursday next."

Gen. Dimon said that he had the satisfaction of knowing that the record was less abrupt and more polite than the mayor's answer to his question.

Mr. Cosgrove asked to have his motion of reconsideration brought up.

The city clerk read the resolution. The vote on the question of reconsideration was as follows: Yea, Cosgrove, Derby, Goward, Tuttle; nay, Dimon, Libby, Peirce, Rivet; absent, Holbrook.

Mr. Libby moved the appointment of a committe of two to confer with the Lowell & Suburban to see if the company would not finish the paving between the rails with some other material than that now being used.

The mayor asked him to submit it in writing.

While this was being done, Gen. Dimon asked whether there was not new business to come in from the sewer committee.

Mr. Goward introduced two resolutions for new sewers. He said that in view of the imperative necessity for the sewers, he would move that the customary seven days be dispensed with and that the resolutions be passed at once. The first resolution was for the protection of Hale's brook, as petitioned for by the board of health.

It was voted that the committe's report recommending the passage of the resolution be not referred to the city clerk's office. The resolution for the sewer in Howard and Tanner streets was then taken up. The damages for land taken were awarded at one cent for each of the several abutters.

The resolution received its second reading.

Gen. Dimon said that he understood that the sewer to abate the nuisance would cost $12,000.

The mayor replied that Supt. Cheney had given him an estimate of $15,000.

When the vote came on the final passage Mr. Derby said that he did not care to vote, since he did not understand the matter. "And I won't ask to have my vote recorded later," he said.

The resolution was given its final passage, 6 to 1, Mr. Peirce in the negative.

The brewery sewer was then taken up. The estimated cost was placed at $1500, of which $1000 was for land damages.

Mr. Peirce said that he should again vote in the negative, because he believed that the action of the meeting was irregular.

He said that outside of the irregularity of action, he favored the construction of both sewers.

Then Mr. Libby's motion for a conference committee was read.

Mr. Derby said that to say that he was astonished and surprised at the motion was putting it lightly. After voting away the rights of 35,000 people, and voting against themselves, he thought it a wonder that the motion was offered. He believed that there was a right and a wrong to the question, and that the public believed that the city had taken the wrong end from the start. He would not cry baby, he said, but take his medicine and let the city pay for it, if he was the member.

Mr. Cosgrove said that he had never seen such a case of crawfish as displayed in the meeting.

He told of an executive meeting of the aldermen, at which eight members had been present and had agreed to stand together against the street railway. There was an example of crawfish without precedent in the history of the city, he thought.

"I shall ask," he said in conclusion, "to have Dr. Holbrook's vote recorded on the question voted upon tonight."

"If they have all got through opening their little vials of wrath, I would like to say a word," said Mr. Libby in reply. He said that if the company was willing to lay block paving, it might be willing to lay some paving satisfactory to the "weeping" members of the board. He did not see where the crawfish came in.

"It gives some members an opportunity to talk to the gallery," he continued, "but that cuts no ice with me. I am not talking for political capital."

"May I ask a question?" asked Mr. Cosgrove.

"You may, but I am not here to answer conundrums," replied Mr. Libby.

Mr. Cosgrove wanted to know, in view of the vote of the board, what there was to confer about.

Mr. Libby pronounced the question a conundrum and declined to answer.

Mr. Cosgrove amended to make the committee of conference four members.

Motion amended and passed. Messrs. Libby, Derby, Cosgrove and Goward appointed.

Mr. Derby refused to serve. "I would be ashamed to serve," he said.

Mr. Cosgrove refused to serve. "Upon my soul," he said, "if I was Mr. Sullivan of the railroad I would refuse an interview."

"I would be tempted to kick the man down stairs," added Mr. Derby.

Mr. Goward refused to serve on the committee. Alderman Cosgrove's motion was ruled out of order.

It was voted to pave a small portion of Jackson street. There was some discussion on the resolution to pave a portion of Westford street with smooth paving. The resolution was passed unanimously. The paving is to be from curb to rail betwen Smith and School streets.

Mr. Derby introduced an order for the paving of Aiken street with concrete, similar to that used by the street railway instead of smooth paving not specified.

Mr. Peirce in behalf of the people living on the street and passing through it, protested against concrete.

Mr. Derby's order for concrete was put and declared lost but doubted. On a yea and nay vote, the order was passed, 6 to 2, Messrs. Libby and Peirce in the negative.

COMMON COUNCIL.

The common council held a special session last evening, Councilman Garvey in the chair and Councilman Murkland acting as clerk.

A joint resolution for the refunding of $5 in license fees to the following named persons who had paid in sums for fees for swill licenses, was passed. Sybil Richardson, O. Merrill, John F. Farr, N. A. Glidden Fred N. Haskell, C. A. Hamblett O. J. Coburn, G. P. Dadman, James Bowers and C. H. Denison.

The joint resolution for the borrowing and appropriating of $10,000 for the construction of sewers came up.

Councilman Wiggin wanted to know how much money there is in the treasury.

Before any person present undertook to answer, Councilman Dana moved that the resolution be laid on the table, as there wasn't enough members to pass it legally.

The motion was lost and before any further action was taken, Councilman McCluskey moved that a recess be taken and it was so voted.

The recess ended at 9 o'clock.

A communication from the president and treasurer of the Tremont Bicycle club with reference to the poor condition of the crosswalks on Moody street, was read and referred to the joint committee on sewers.

The sewer resolution then came up for final passage.

Councilman Wilder thought the sewer committee must be incompetent, inasmuch as it had an appropriation of $10,000 the first of the year, and knew it couldn't get any more. "It has gone across private land at great expense," he said, "and if it had more money, it would be incompetent to spend it."

Councilmen Markham, McCluskey and Garvey spoke strongly in favor of going on with the sewer work.

Before any action was taken, the meeting adjourned until this evening.

TROOP F. CAVALRY

GENERAL ORDER FOR ANNUAL TOUR OF DUTY.

Troop F, Cavalry of North Chelmsford is to have its annual tour of duty and field day as set forth in the following order:

GENERAL ORDERS NO. 1.

1. In compliance with special orders No. 85, A. G. O., dated July 29th, 1898, this Troop will perform its annual tour of duty and field day at the State Camp grounds South Framingham, in connection with the First Battalion of Cavalry, Aug. 27th to Sept 3rd inclusive.

2. The members will assemble at their respective armories at 4 o'clock a. m., Aug. 27th, receive their equipment and be prepared to make the journey to camp in the saddle. Detachments 2 and 3 will await the arrival of Detachment 1. Detachment 4 will connect with the Troop before its arrival at Concord, about 7.30 a. m.

3. Dress and armament for the march will be campaign hat, blue woolen shirt, black string tie trousers, boots or leggins spurs carbine and sabre. Overcoats will be rolled and strapped to cantel of saddle. Blouses will be carried in baggage wagon. Fatigue caps will not be taken. Officers and noncommissioned officers will wear guantlet gloves.

4. Enlisted men will be required to do their own stable work and will provide themselves with curry combs and brushes. The Q. M. Sergt. will provide stable tools. U. S. haversacks and mess kits will be issued and the latter will be used instead of crockery throughout this tour of duty. No intoxicating liquors will be allowed in camp. Competent cooks will be engaged but no waiters will be employed.

5. Members will provide themselves with a good, sound horse, of good size and in good condition, as all horses will be inspected and those unfit for service will be rejected.

6. Tent parties should be made up before going to camp. Two of the Troop's camp chests will be allowed in each tent. Members will have their bedding and extra clothing packed in camp chests at their respective armories Monday night, August 22d, ready for shipment.

7. First Sergeant Edward H. Keyes will assign quarters for men and horses.

8. Passes or invitations will not be issued, but visitors will be admitted when vouched for by some commissioned officer.

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USED A CATAMARAN.

New York, Aug. 19.—The members of the racing committee of the Seawanhaka-Corinthian Yacht club and the other devotees of the sport who journeyed to Montreal and witnessed the unsuccessful attempts of Clinton H. Crane and his confreres to win back the challenge cup, held by the Royal St. Lawrence Yacht club, came back to the city Thursday. There is a great feeling of dissatisfaction because representatives of the Canadian club insisted upon taking advantage of the literal phrasing of the challenge and defending the cup with a catamaran.

Charles W. Wetmore, one of the members of the race committee that selected the Seawanhaka, said: "We consider it an unfair test of the relative merits of the two designers that a catamaran was selected and we were compelled to race against such a type of boat. Catamarans have always been a class by themselves, and as such the members of the Seawanhaka-Corinthian club will always regard them. The Royal St. Lawrence club has defeated our boat, but few yachtsmen will consider the victory as other than gained by a clever evasion of the spirit of the challenge, and one which will go far toward injuring the future of the sport which we are all attached to."

OUTRAGE BY WHITECAPS.

Parkersburg, W. Va., Aug. 19.—About 250 or 350 men disguised as "whitecaps" visited the house of Susie Colston, North Smithfield, Wetzell county, and dragged the inmates, six women and three men, out of bed. No time was given them to get their clothes, money or valuables. The house was then blown to pieces with three sticks of dynamite. The inmates were tarred and feathered, and then taken to the Shuman House and all locked in a room together till daylight. No effort was made to discover who did the act, and the popular sentiment is that nothing wrong was done.

CURTAILMENT IN FALL RIVER.

Fall River, Aug. 19. — Secretary Rounseville of the executive committee of the Manufacturers' association says that nothing had yet been decided concerning the latest curtailment. Work is going on in the direction of obtaining signatures, but it seems to be agreed among many treasurers that the required 1,500,000 spindles will not be secured. It is believed, however, that some form of curtailment will begin next week, or the week following.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

The residence of E. E. Smith of Cranston, R. I., together with all the furniture, was destroyed by fire, entailing a loss of $6000. The fire was caused by the overturning of a lamp.

John Pattala, who fractured the skull of John Rinki during a drunken row in Fitchburg four weeks ago, was given two years in the house of correction for manslaughter by the superior court justice.

Cooney Hitchu was killed and several others were injured in a trolley car wreck near Newcastle, Pa. As a trolley was rounding a curve it jumped the track in front of a wain. Hitchu was horribly crushed.

AN UNPROVOKED KILLING.

Newport News, Aug. 19. — Private Alonzo Andrews of company I, One Hundred and Sixtieth Indiana regiment, was shot and killed, and Private Jacob Altmiere of the same company was wounded in the foot by a negro named Hall. Both of the men formerly lived at Elwood, Ind. The shooting seems to have been unprovoked. Hall was in a buggy when it occurred, and his horse was on a gallop. He rose and fired off of the back of the vehicle. The negro was arrested and jailed, but the feeling against him was so intense that the sheriff took him out of the town for safe-keeping. Bloodfield is under martial law.

MARION S. WON.

INTERESTING RACE ON THE FAIR GROUNDS.

An exciting horse trotting race between "Marion S." owned by O. H. Stafford, and Sinia Gauthier's "Black Prince," was attended by about 200 friends of the owners of the animals.

It was the best three heats in five, and Marion S. won in three straight heats. Time, 2.37, 2.37 and 2.36. A purse of $100 went to the winner. In the first heats, Marion S. won from her opponent easily. In the third she fell and but for the presence of mind of "Doc" Evans, who was driving her, a serious accident might have occurred. Another race of less importance was held as a side issue.

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THIS OLD QUESTION HAS TO BE ANSWERED CANDIDLY BY LOWELL PEOPLE.

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SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL.

The Daughters of America held their regular meeting in Old Odd Fellows hall Thursday evening. Councilor Ella M. Sawyer presided. Only the routine business of the hour was transacted.

Lowell lodge K. of P. held its regular meeting last night. The chancellor commander was in the chair. Only routine business was transacted.

Bay State Colony U.O.P.F. held a special meeting last night. The meeting was called to see whether the colony would hold weekly meetings or only twice a month. It was voted to hold meetings every second and fourth Thursdays in the month.

Wannalancit Encampment I.O.O.F held its regular meeting in Odd Fellows Temple last evening. The committees appointed to arrange for attending to the celebration in Boston were to make their reports. Owing to the stormy weather only a small attendance was present; therefore no action was taken.

Lowell Council Royal Arcanum held its regular meeting last evening with a small attendance. One initiation was recorded and the regular business of the council was transacted.

Veritas lodge, I.O.O.F., held its regular meeting last night and voted to take action with the other encampments relative to the fair to be held the first week in December. It was also voted to entertain members with refreshments at the next meeting one week from Thursday next.

BOWLING NEWS.

Notwithstanding the condition of the weather, the Pastimes and Pawtuckets played the ninth game of the tournament at Lakeview last night. Low scores characterized the game, no one reaching 500. Knapp of the losing team rolled the highest score. John Mellen was out of his usual form. The score:

PAWTUCKETS.

Knapp	115	164	166—474
Patten	151	129	157—437
Kirby	120	125	152—407
Sawyer	155	138	124—417
Clogston	143	119	143—405
Totals	726	675	741—2142

PASTIMES.

Mellen	154	129	142—425
Mower	143	160	151—444
Simmons	162	154	138—454
Lyons	151	154	159—464
Sheehy	120	166	144—429
Totals	730	763	734—2226

Fairmounts and Lakeviews are booked for tonight.

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At a meeting of the Mule Spinners union, to be held this evening, a marshal and two aids, for the Labor day parade, will be elected.

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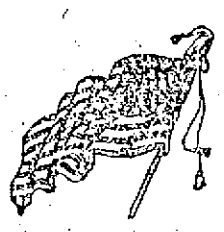

What if the girl who asked to be kissed by Hobson, should turn out to be Hobson's choice!

The Cambridge Press says::
The sheriff of Middlesex county,
Thinks he's having a life-long snap;
His deps gaily sing:
"We are all in the ring
And we're pulling away at the pap."

The chief regrets of the war are that Weyler was beyond the reach of our guns, that our soldiers starved while the rations rotted in store, that our splendid army was harassed by the mismanagement of Alger.

Presidents McKinley and Faure can now converse across the Atlantic at pleasure since the White House can easily be connected with the president's castle in Paris by cable. Every day adds fresh proofs of the federation of the world by means of electricity.

Boston's tax rate is $13.60, the highest since 1881, when the tax rate reached the enormous figure of $17. That is one dollar less than the tax rate of Lowell. Verily, it is becoming an expensive privilege to reside in Lowell during a business administration.

ALGER'S COMMISSARY.

The fact that the rations for the Second Massachusetts regiment shipped on the Vigilancia have been returned under a cargo of hay in the hold of the vessel shows some of the foul management of the war department. The Second Massachusetts regiment lost more men than any other in the service in the fight before Santiago, although it had to go begging for rations, inasmuch as the supplies shipped specially for itself were buried in the hold of a ship under many tons of hay. In a similar way, whole trains of provisions were at hand but buried under something else and cargoes of ice melted in the harbor—all this took place while the soldiers were almost starved, while the wounded and fatigued gasped for water. This is but a specimen of Alger's management of the army.

THE SIXTH REGIMENT.

Col. Woodward is making bad worse by his profuse explanations. At one time it appears that General Garretson had a grudge against him, at another that some of his subordinates were opposed to him, and again because he was too considerate with his men. It is easy to read between the lines that Woodward was of little use on the battlefield and that the service was improved by his resignation. He is not a military man in the proper sense. When the turmoil and the hardships of actual war are to be endured, Col. Woodward could not be reckoned upon. He claims that it was sympathy for his regiment that caused him to be censured, but his regiment is all right and was all right under Woodward if properly directed. General Miles knows good soldiers when he sees them and he holds the Sixth Regiment in high estimation.

SEND THEM BOUQUETS.

The request of Aldermen Goward and Tuttle to vote upon a motion that had been decided at the previous meeting of the board was one of the most silly, absurd and ridiculous that could be imagined. As well might a man wishing to go to Boston today request that he be privileged to go on one of last week's trains. Alderman Goward posed as the parliamentarian of the republican side while the democrats were showing their knowledge of parliamentary law to their own advantage some time ago, but his break of last night was the greatest travesty upon correct parliamentary practice ever witnessed in city hall. Both aldermen should be presented with a good, solid bouquet of cabbage heads by their constituents.

Col. Logan is to succeed the late Col. Bogan. Only a change of a letter in the names, but the soldiers of the Ninth will not forget their gallant colonel who became a victim to the privations of the service at Santiago.

Will Mayor Hennett hang up the $10,000 for Huntington hall and also the $10,000 for sewers until close upon election time and then favor both to be distributed as election bonuses in lieu of votes?

It is about time the belligerent forces at city hall should get together and agree upon a protocol that would suspend hostilities upon the Huntington hall matter.

CRISP GOSSIP.

Under a heading which reads "Short Stories," the Lawrence Tribune says: "One case each of typhoid fever and measles were reported at the Board of Health office this morning." One who has had experience with the former disease would say that it is none too short.

A serious handicap that the firemen encounter while answering alarms is the flying dust caused by the large number of people who cross the roads while attending the fire. On the day of the three fires, in rapid succession, Rock street resembled a desert with a simoon in progress.

It is estimated that 2500 men, women and children were at the railroad station Wednesday in Portsmouth, N. H., to witness the arrival of Assistant Naval Contructor Hobson and to give the hero of Santiago a grand ovation. In this they were disappointed, for although it had been officially chronicled that Lieutenant Hobson would arrive from New York and be escorted to the navy yard, where before a selected board he would be examined for promotion, he did not put in appearance. Although it had been wired ahead that Hobson was not on board, the crowd which had gathered would not leave until the train, which was forty minutes late, had pulled in and out of the station.

When the train stopped, a man who looked like Hobson alighted and as soon as the eyes of the crowd had picked him out as the man of all men, the cries of "There he is! There he is!" arose from the vast multitude. This person looked in wonderment at the crowd, which pushed forward from all directions to hail him. The mistake was soon understood.

Again Wednesday there was no session of the police court. This is the second day in one week when the judge was not needed to deal out justice to any petty law breakers.—Manchester Union.

Though days may come and go, the Lowell police court session goes on forever.

WRITTEN IN FRENCH.

A friend in this city has received a letter from B. D. O'Connell, Esq. It is written in French and Mr. O'Connell's friend was quite surprised as he exhibited a grand knowledge of the language. Mr. O'Connell is now reading the works of noted French writers.

WILL SUE ROAD.

Motorman Holley, who has been discharged by the L. L. & H. road, is going to sue the road for heavy damages for injuries received in the collision near Belle Grove. Yesterday afternoon he engaged DeCourcy and Coulson as his attorneys. It is expected that a hot legal fight will be waged.

K. OF C. FIELD DAY.

Lexington Council, K. of C. held their field day at Willow Dale, Thursday, and in the afternoon the Lowell council, K. of C., engaged them in a game of ball at Mountain Rock, which resulted in a victory for the Lowell team. Score, 8 to 3.

The ball games between these two councils is an annual affair and considerable interest is manifested on both sides. The game is generally a lively one and Thursday's game was not an exception.

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WORSHIP OF MONEY.

POWER OF SATAN OVER THE WORLD SHOWN IN LEGALIZED IDOLATRY.

Per Cent the Sacrifice Laid Upon the Altar of Our Mammon God — The Poor Have Been Plundered and Murdered by Civil Government.

Rev. D. Oglesby preached at a camp meeting that was being held at Sparta, Ills. He prefaced his sermon with these words:

I am 72 years old. In all these long years I have never asked the privilege of preaching at a camp meeting, quarterly meeting, district conference or any other special gathering until this time, although I have been a member of the southern Illinois conference 44 years. I said to the elder, I want to go to the district conference in Sparta if I live and keep my health, and I would like to preach there, inasmuch as that was the last charge I received from a bishop. I scarcely ever make apologies, but I thought it due to the elder and committee, for if the congregation are disappointed in their selecting an old superannuated back number to preach when they had so many modern up to date divines to select from they must blame me and not the committee. Nevertheless I shall try to preach as if we were in sight of the judgment, for I am sure that it will be my funeral to most of you and yours to me.

Following is the concluding portion of the sermon:

Seeing the reward is so indescribably great, why is it so hard to persuade men to worship God? Why is it that Christianity has made such slow progress in the world?

"Oh," you will say to me, "you are an old fogy. You are a pessimist. The church has gone off and left you. Christianity is taking the world."

Come, my optimistic brother, let us look facts square in the face. I don't believe that truth ever did any injury in our world. Come, let us lock arms and take a walk and survey the field (the field is the world) and see what has been accomplished and what is to do yet.

There are 1,400,000,000 people in the world and only 200,000,000 nominal Christians, and in order to make up the 200,000,000 nominal Christians we have to count all—men, women and children, the ones in the penitentiary and out, the inmates of brothels, saloons and gambling dens—all. Now, when we fan out the chaff to find the wheat it is an exceedingly liberal estimate to allow that there are 60,000,000 Christians in the world today.

Here we are at the sunset of the nineteenth century and only one in 28 or 30 of the human race made Christians.

What do you think of the outlook?

General Miles was sent by the president last year to inspect the armaments or military forces of Europe. When he returned, he said, "The millennium must be a long way off when swords will be made into plowshares and spears into pruning hooks, for all Europe is preparing for war as never before, building larger warships and more of them, raising larger armies, spending more money for war purposes than in any previous age."

All this preparation for war by so called Christian nations? What does it mean?

We have not been preaching war, have we? That it is right to butcher and murder each other? This doesn't look like peace on earth and good will to men, does it? Have we not good reason to cry out, "Lord, who hath believed our report and to whom hath the arm of the Lord been revealed?" It looks more like the arm of the devil was being revealed, doesn't it?

Surely there must be some obstruction across the track of Christianity! Surely the stream of salvation is dammed up. Some great obstacle has prevented mankind from worshiping God!

Now let us take the crowbar of truth and the pick and shovel of investigation and dig down and see what is the obstruction.

And before we begin this investigation I want to make a little digression.

There is a universal and strong prejudice against preaching politics. If a preacher says politics in the pulpit, he is ostracised and makes "himself of no reputation" in the church and out of it. It is a senseless, unscriptural, wicked prejudice, because politics is the science of civil government, and civil government is an ordinance of God, just as much so as the church is.

Of course preachers should not preach party politics at all, but it is as much the duty of the preacher to preach against sin in civil government as anywhere else, for his Master has placed him a sentinel on the walls of Zion and commanded him to "lift up his voice like a trumpet and show the people their sins."

I have made this digression because we will find the great obstacle to the spread of Christianity or the worship of God is and always has been the attitude of the civil governments of earth. Ever since old satan inaugurated the first rebellion on earth it has been his constant business to keep men from worshiping God. For this purpose he is "walking to and fro in the earth and going up and down in it."

He knew that if he could get in incorporated into civil law he would score a great victory, because he knew that the great majority of mankind would never have any higher standard of morals than civil law. Then he knew that men would be law abiding, and if the law was bad his end was gained.

The next step was to get control of civil government. Then he could put all the sin into law that he wanted to. He made haste to do that. He took Christ up on a mountain and showed him all the kingdoms (governments) of the world, and said, "all those will I give thee if thou wilt fall down and worship me." He meant, these are mine. Big liar as old satan is, he sometimes tells the truth. He owned the governments of the world then, and does yet, as we will find as we proceed in this investigation. Having got control of the governments of the world, of course he would use them to prevent men from worshiping God. The surest way to do this was to legalize idolatry. He knew that mankind would worship something—it was in his nature to worship. Satan didn't care what he worshiped so he didn't worship God. He might worship the sun, moon or heavenly host, or the river Ganges or Nile or he might whittle a god out of wood or chisel one out of stone; no matter so he didn't worship God, but he must not worship God on pain of death. Here we find the obstacle for which we are searching. It is the perversion of civil government.

Every martyr of the 50,000,000 who sealed their testimony with their blood was sentenced to death, to the stake or dungeon or to be devoured by wild beasts, by the same civil government and law that protected idolatry.

But you may have been thinking that idolatry is confined to heathen countries. You think perhaps that our country is a Christian country and our laws are Christian laws and that we have no system of idolatry. We will see.

We license the liquor traffic that costs $1,000,000,000 a year, and sends multitudes to drunkards' graves, that crushes the hearts of mothers and blights the lives of children, that is the prolific source of three-fourths of the crimes committed in our country. Does that look like we were a Christian government?

Then, worse than that, our system of commerce is a huge system of idolatry, as is the case all over our boasted Christian civilization. Here is the proof: The first law God gave to man was the law of labor. "In the sweat of thy face shalt thou eat bread." It is an important law. The existence of the human race depends on it. In the production of wealth this law is respected and honored. All wealth is produced by labor, and wageworkers receive wages.

But when we enter the domain of commerce God's law of labor is set aside and ignored. The one who buys and sells and carries on commerce takes no account of his labor, if he does any labor. He works for per cent.

The stockholders of this Central railroad may live in Europe, may never have seen the road, but charges for freights and fares are adjusted so as to bring in a per cent to divide among them. If the per cent fails, then the wages of all who labor on the road are reduced or the charges for freights and fares are increased, thus making the men who labor support and enrich the idlers.

It is the same in all lines of traffic. It permeates every avenue of commerce so completely that all business is a system of gambling, getting without giving an equivalent or robbery. Per cent on money does it all. The dollar is god. Per cent is the sacrifice laid on the altar of our Mammon god. This system of idolatry must and will be destroyed. It is the last form of idolatry that will exist on the earth. It has conquered and captured both church and governments and has such a hold on the world that its destruction will convulse society as never before. Civil governments are to be converted, taken out of old satan's hands, and Christ is to rule.

We have been taught by our great theologians that the millennium would be a state of society in which all would be saints. That state of society will come during the millennial period, but the millennium will come long before that. The millennium is wholly political.

When civil governments are made to harmonize with the divine government and civil law is made to conform exactly with divine law, then the millennium will be here, then Christ will reign. Men are generally law abiding now. When civil law is in harmony with divine law, to obey the law will be to obey God. Then "righteousness will cover the earth as the waters cover the sea," because all will obey the law of God. As it is now and ever has been, to obey civil law was to serve the devil. The greatest crimes on earth are legal crimes.

It will not be so when civil laws are just and righteous.

God is just. His justice has delayed its coming long, but it will come. Civil governments have been perverted and instead of protecting the poor they have been used to plunder and oppress them.

The poor have been robbed, plundered and murdered by civil governments and law through all the ages. God, the great Father above, made the earth for his earthly family to have homes, but through all the ages they have been robbed of homes by wicked laws. Great cities have been built by the money taken from the poor who toiled their lives out, homeless, hungry and destitute. If justice demands the destruction of the stolen wealth, if restitution will not be voluntarily made to God's poor, and there is no probability of that being done, then the just retribution coming, must be "a time of tribulation such as never was since the beginning of the world to this time, no, nor ever shall be" (Matthew xxiv, 21). This saying of Christ has been applied wholly to the destruction of Jerusalem. Jerusalem rejected Christ and suffered great tribulation. Jerusalem is a type of the world. The world has rejected him and is now practicing idolatry, and its time of tribulation is at the door. The great battle of Armageddon is now begun, and the end will introduce to our world the millennium state.

Municipal Railways In England.

Salford is to join the ranks of British towns operating their own street railway systems. At the meeting of the town council, March 3, it was unanimously voted that in 1901, when the present lease of the tracks to a corporation should expire, the city should operate the system.

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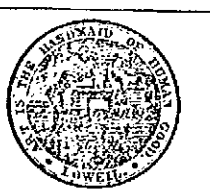
Office of Supt. of Streets.

The City is about to macadamize Andover street, in consequence of which it is desirable that all persons who contemplate digging up the street for the purpose of making gas, sewer, electrical or water connections, do so at once, as it is important that such work be done before the street is repaired.

C. J. CHENEY,
Supt. of Streets.

Lowell, Aug. 13, 1898.



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Office of Supt. of Streets.

The City is about to smooth pave Aiken street, in consequence of which it is desirable that all persons who contemplate digging up the street for the purpose of making gas, sewer, electrical or water connections do so at once, as it is important that such work be done before the street is repaired.

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Final Orders Sent to Admiral Sampson.

MAYOR VAN WYCK WILL WELCOME FLEET.

A Salute at the Tomb of Grant.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Washington, Aug. 19.—Final orders were sent today to Admiral Sampson relative to the naval parade at New York city on Saturday. The ships will proceed to Tompkinsville and there await the arrival of Mayor Van Wyck and a delegation of citizens who are to go aboard the flagship and deliver an address to Admiral Sampson and the men of his command. This ceremony will occur before ten o'clock Saturday morning as the orders contemplate a start up the North river at 10 o'clock. The salute at the tomb of General Grant will be the national salute of 21 guns. It is understood that Admiral Sampson will continue in command of the North Atlantic fleet while serving as a member of the military commission at Havana. It is more likely that the commissioners will proceed together on a warship, probably the Dolphin. If the commissioners do not proceed in a body, Admirals Sampson and Schley may take their respective flagships to Havana and San Juan.

STOCK EXCHANGE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

New York, Aug. 19.—The members of the Stock Exchange have adopted a resolution requesting the governing board to declare Saturday a holiday in view of the naval parade of the returning United States squadron.

STEAMER ASHORE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Nassau, Aug. 19.—The British steamer Jacob Bright, Captain Mills, from New York, August 11, for Inagua and Bluefields, is ashore on Egg Island reef. The British steamer Antilla, Captain Montell, which arrived here from New York on Aug. 15, has gone to her assistance.

VON DER AHE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

St. Louis, Mo., Aug. 19.—Word was received from Alton, Ill., that Chris von der Ahe, former president of the St. Louis base ball club was married in that city yesterday to Miss Kaiser. This is the magnate's third matrimonial venture.

CERUTTI CLAIM

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Colon, Columbia, Aug. 19, via Galveston, Tex.—The well known Jewish firm of Solomon and Koppel at Belgium is financiering the payment of the unsettled portion of the Cerutti claim, the arrangements to culminate at the expiration of eight months. The Italian cruiser Umbria, one of the warships in the squadron under command of Admiral Candianini, now in Columbian waters in connection with the claim, arrived here yesterday but will return to Cathagini tomorrow.

CAPT. FISH

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Washington, Aug. 19.—Capt. L. B. Fish, formerly of the Third Ohio cavalry, died in this city last night. He was 57 years of age. The interment will take place at Kingston, Mass. Captain Fish was well known in the southwest after the civil war, having been connected with railroads in that section. He was also prominent in politics.

TROOPS ENOUGH.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Washington, Aug. 19.—General Shafter has informed the war department that after consulting with General Lawton, it has been concluded that it will not be necessary to send any more troops to Santiago. This statement is made with the understanding that the present military force will shortly be reinforced by the arrival of the Fifth regular corps and by the 23rd Kansas volunteers.

GEN. WHEELER.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

New York, Aug. 19.— General Joseph Wheeler, in accordance with orders from Secretary Alger this morning took charge of Camp Wickoff, and General Young at once assumed command of the cavalry division.

The health inspector this morning boarded the transports Mobile and Comanche, which arrived in Fort Pond bay last night. The Mobile has on board detachments of the Second regiment volunteers of Massachusetts and the 22nd regiment of the regular army. These men will be landed and sent to the detention camp before night. The doctors have not yet reported the number of sick on the Mobile.

Surgeon-General Sternberg and Major Brown, surgeon of the Second regiment of Boston, have arrived here to assist in looking after the health and comfort of the Massachusetts volunteers. More typhoid fever patients will be sent away today on the steam yacht Red Cross. Their destination is Roosevelt hospital, New York.

In addition to the typhoid fever patients taken away yesterday by the yacht Red Cross there are fifty cases of typhoid fever in the general hospital. Of the sick suffering from various complaints 460 are in the General hospital and 375 are in the detention hospital. There are sixty women nurses in the hospitals at present.

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A BIG CLOUDBURST

Caused Great Damage in Pittsburg Today.

FIVE CHILDREN DROWNED IN THE FLOOD.

Mother Made Attempt to Save Them.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Pittsburg, Pa., Aug. 19.—A cloudburst up Sawmill Run this morning, caused a flood in that stream and endangered the lives of a dozen persons. Five children are missing and they are supposed to have been drowned. Thy are:

Irene Loftus.
Regis Loftus.
Genevieve Shaughnessy.
Margaret Shaughnessy.
Nellie Sauls.

The water in the Run began to rise this morning and at 9 o'clock a great volume of water came down. The missing children together with some older persons were standing on a porch

FROM SHAFTER

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Washington, Aug. 19.—The war department has received the following:

Santiago, Aug. 19, 1898.

To H. C. Corbin, Adjutant General, Washington:

The D. H. Miller, with the First Infantry and some stevedores has just sailed.

(Signed) Shafter, Major General.

FUNERALS.

O'LOUGHLIN—The funeral of Michael O'Loughlin, took place Thursday afternoon at 2 oclock from his late home, 6 Madison street, and was largely attended. Deceased was a very popular man who enjoyed the respect of all who knew him. Interment was in the Catholic cemetery. The bearers were: Michael Monigan, John Moriarty, James McGuane, John McMahon, Dennis Healey and Martin Slattery.

SOMERS—The funeral of Dora G. Somers took place Thursday forenoon from the home of her parents 41 Byfield street. Rev. Mr. Baker officiated. Interment was in the Edson cemetery.

FRYE—At the old Frye homestead on Central street, funeral services, beautiful in their simplicity, were held over the remains of Mrs. Abigail Frye, mother of the late Judge John F. Frye. Rev. Smith T. Ford officiated and the interment was in the Frye family lot in the Lowell cemetery. The bearers were relatives and intimate friends of the deceased.

McELLIGOTT.—The funeral of Miss Susan McElligott will take place tomorrow morning from the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice McElligott in North Billerica. Funeral services at St. Andrews' church in that town

CONWAY—The funeral of Michael Conway took place this morning from Undertaker Molloy's rooms. A requiem mass was celebrated by Rev. Fr. Sullivan of New York at the Immaculate Conception church, of which deceased was sexton previous to his death. The choir, under the direction of P. P. Haggerty, rendered effective musical selections. Burial was in the Catholic cemetery and the bearers were Patrick Gibbons of Lawrence, John Doherty, James Eagan, and Thomas Miles. Friends and relatives from Lawrence and New London, Conn., attended the funeral.

MORRIS.—The funeral of Francis, infant son of Francis and Julia Morris, took place this afternoon at 3 o'clock from the home of the parents, Broadway. Burial was in the Catholic cemetery.

DEATHS.

HARRINGTON—Isabelle A., infant daughter of William, the well known wine clerk, and Margaret Harrington of this city died yesterday at West Acton, aged ten months. The remains arrived in Lowell this afternoon and the funeral took place from the Northern depot. Burial was in the Catholic cemetery.

HEALEY—Mrs. Mary Healey, widow of Daniel Healey died yesterday at her home, 167 High street at the advanced age of 78 years. Deceased was a member of the Immaculate Conception church and a devout Catholic.

Well known for her gentle disposition and charitable deeds she enjoyed the respect of everyone who had the pleasure of her acquaintance. Two daughters Margaret and Catherine, both of this city survive her. Interment will be in the family lot at Concord, Mass.

Prosperity Circle, will celebrate Foresters' Day by a dance at Foresters' hall, Saturday evening, Aug. 20. Tickets, 15 cents.

Mr. Myron Wightman, Miss Georgia Wightman and Miss Carrie B. True have gone to Canada for a few weeks.

VOLUNTEER AID.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Boston Aug. 19.— The Volunteer Aid association has appropriated $10,000 to establish a diet kitchen at Montauk Point to provide proper food for the convalescents. Six cooks have been borrowed from Young's hotel and have already gone to the scene.

A gentleman who desires his name withheld has contributed to the association a towboat to ply between New London and Montauk Point, and another has given a lighter as it is hard to get supplies across.

Maltox makes the old feel young.

O'TOOLE WAS SHOT

Because His Friend Threw a a Stone at a Dog.

IT IS FEARED THAT HE WILL DIE.

John Donato Charged With the Crime.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

New York, Aug. 19.—John O'Toole was shot last night because Matthew Schill, a companion of his, threw a stone at a dog in front of 410 Fifth street Jersey City. He is in a very precarious condition in the city hospital and is believed to be mortally injured.

O'Toole said he lived in Fall River, Mass. He said he and his companion were walking through a vacant lot in Fifth street when a dog appeared and began to snap and bite at them. Schill then threw a stone at the dog, when a head appeared at an upper window of 410 Fifth street and a man yelled at them and fired a pistol, the bullet striking O'Toole in the head. John Donato who lived in the house is under arrest charged with the shooting.

BREAKING CAMP.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Chickamauga National Park, Aug. 19.—The First Vermont Infantry broke camp at an early hour today and marched five miles to Rossville station, where the men boarded trains awaiting to take them to Fort Ethan Allen in their home state. The route of the Vermonters is over the Southern and Norfolk and Western lines.

The First Illinois Cavalry and the First Maine Infantry are now making preparations to return to their state capitals according to orders issued them. They are not expected to move before next week. The orders to return home were received with great enthusiasm by the men of the regiment as the majority desire to get back to civil life when there is not longer a chance of fighting. General's McKee's second division of the First corp will proceed respectively to Knoxville and Lexington early next week, according to present orders.

The various regiments are now making preparation for departure. Within ten days the army here will be reduced one half.

The work of sending away the sick soldiers is now being prosecuted in all divisions of the army. It is the disposition of the department to send home all sick men on thirty days' furlough.

The hospital train which arrived last night from Philadelphia left today with one hundred sick men from the First Pennsylvania.

A GREAT CLOTHING EVENT.

The assignees' sale of the stock of O'Hearn & Dowd which opens at 9 o'clock tomorrow promises to be the greatest bargain giving event in local trade history. Preparations are being made by the assignees through their manager, Mr. J. H. Rogers, to handle immense crowds.

Twenty extra salesmen are called for in their advertisement in this issue and the published price list in their advertisement promises a bargain carnival long to be remembered. It is to be hoped that Messrs. O'Hearn and Dowd may reach a satisfactory settlement.

LOST A WHEEL.

A wagon owned by C. M. Allen, the well known back Central street fish merchant, met with a mishap shortly before noon today, while passing through Bridge street. The wheel became caught in the street railway track and was snapped from the wagon. Bystanders caught the frightened horse at the Square, preventing what promised to be a lively runaway and possibly serious accidents.

DR. GOULDING.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Cambridge, Mass., Aug. 19.—Dr. Timothy F. Goulding of this city has been ordered to report to Deputy Surgeon General Forward of Camp Wickoff, Montauk Point, Long Island to do duty at the general hospital. He received the appointment of acting assistant surgeon of the United States army.

CAPT. CLARK

By Associated Press to The Sun.

St. Joseph, Mo., Aug. 19.—Captain Charles E. Clark, late commander of the battleship Oregon is coming to St. Joseph to meet his wife and daughters and to seek rest and recuperation. He will be the guest of his brother, Lloyd Clark, custodian of the United States lighthouse station at this port.

Mrs. Clark and her daughters arrived here from California a month ago and have been anxiously awaiting the close of the war and the captain's return. He is expected here within a few days. He has telegraphed his brother that he was in good condition.

DISTINGUISHED VISITOR.

Supreme Secretary of the C. F. of A., Miss B. A. Lester of Bridgeport, Conn., is visiting in town and is the guest of Financial Secretary Miss Nellie McGrade of Prosperity Circle. Miss Lester will probably attend the social party given by Prosperity Circle tomorrow night.

KENT TRANSFERRED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Washington, Aug. 19.—Acting Major General Kent has been transferred from the Fifth Army Corps to the Seventh and has been ordered to report to General Lee for assignment to duty.

THE BODY FOUND

Of Valmor Nichols, a Farmer of Ypsilanti.

IT IS PROBABLE THAT HE WAS MURDERED

As He Had Plenty of Money.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Detroit, Mich., Aug. 19.—On August 10th, Valmor Nichols a farmer living near Ypsilanti mysteriously disappeared. He was known to have had quite a sum of money in his possession at the time. Yesterday his body was found in the Detroit river between Hellelsle and the American shore. There were two heavy stones bound to his feet with wire which weighted the body down so that only the top of his head was visible. This had been sighted several times by parties out rowing but it looked so much like a buoy that it was not before investigated. As no trace of the money was found on his person, the police incline to the murder theory.

FRIED O'TOOLE WAS SHOT

ASSISTANT SURGEON.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Nashua, N. H., Aug. 19.—Governor Ramsdell today commissioned Dr. Congdon of Berlin to be assistant surgeon of the First New Hampshire regiment at Chickamauga. Dr. Congdon, who has been acting as hospital steward has been selected to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Dr. J. M. Day.

COAL SHEDS BURNED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Berwick, Me., Aug. 19.—The storehouse, wood and coal sheds of George Frost were destroyed by fire this morning and the house and barn near by were considerably damaged. The family were away and the fire was apparently the work of an incendiary. The loss is $3,500 and there is an insurance of $2500.

FRANK FONTAINE

WAS COMMITTED TO JAIL IN DEFAULT OF BAIL YESTERDAY.

Frank Fontaine, the Lowell man concerned in the recent burglary of the Boston & Maine station at Bristol, N. H., was arraigned at Woodsville, N. H., yesterday. He pleaded not guilty, waived examination and in default of bail was committed to jail.

SOLDIERS RETURN.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Washington, Aug. 19.—Orders were given today for the return to their state rendezvous of the following named volunteer regiments:

The First Illinois cavalry and the First Maine Infantry, now at Fernandez, Fla. The First Illinois is ordered to Springfield, Ill., and the First Maine to Augusta, Me., and the Second New York to Troy, N. Y.

The movement of these regiments will begin as soon as the necessary transportation can be provided.

Another regiment which has been ordered to return to its recruiting rendezvous is the First Vermont Infantry. That regiment now at Chickamauga is under orders to proceed to Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont and leaves Camp Thomas this afternoon. Similar orders will be issued from day to day as the volunteers regiments are selected for mustering out. No official information on this subject is obtainable at the war department in advance of the orders.

LABORER KILLED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Providence, R. I., Aug. 19.—Elmer Bucklin, 25 years of age, a laborer who lived in Pawtucket was instantly killed this forenoon on the covered bridge over the Ten Mile river on the East Providence branch of the Worcester division of the Consolidated road. Nothing is known what caused the accident.

STRUCK BY ENGINE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Portland, Me., Aug. 19.—Eugene McGillicuddy of Lewiston, about 22 years old was struck by a shifting engine this morning in the Grand Trunk yards. It is supposed that he was asleep on the track.

DEATHS.

HART—Bridget Hart, aged 76 years, died yesterday at St. John's hospital. Funeral tomorrow.

SHEEHAN—John Sheehan, aged four years, child of James and Mary Sheehan, died last night at her parents' home, 50 Agawam street. Funeral tomorrow afternoon.

THE TARIFF RATE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Washington, Aug. 19.—The war department today promulgated the tariff rates for Porto Rico. The rate is the Spanish minimum tariff rate heretofore enforced in the island. The tobacco schedule is the same as that for Cuba.

SHAFTER IN COMMAND.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Washington, Aug. 19.—When Major General Shafter arrives at Montauk Point next week, he will relieve Major General Shafter arrives at Montauk the troops at that post by reason of seniority in rank.

RIOTS AT PONCE

The Natives Avenging Spite on Spaniards.

Military Authorities to Punish Offenders — Confederate Money Passed by Dishonest Soldiers— One Sentenced to Five Years.

Ponce, Porto Rico, Aug. 19.—The natives show a disposition to persecute the Spanish residents, and several minor riots have occurred here. At Yauco the natives threw stones and bricks into Spanish shops, in retaliation for outrages committed within the Spanish lines. The military have been ordered to suppress these demonstrations and punish the offenders.

Ponce is flooded with Confederate money. When the first expedition sailed from Charleston some citizen who had had his cellar filled with Confederate money since the war distributed it among the soldiers as a curiosity. Much of this has been passed on the unsuspecting natives as genuine currency of the United States, and has been accepted by them as such. In many instances this has been done with a deliberate purpose to deceive and swindle, and one petty officer who was detected at it has been court-martialed and sentenced to five years in the penitentiary. He is now in jail in Ponce.

No one would be sorry if this deception had been practiced upon the business men of the city, who have been deliberately robbing everyone who went to them with any money to change. The actual value of Porto Rican money is just $2 for one American dollar, yet the Porto Rican merchants have been exchanging money at $1.75 Porto Rican for one American. An effort has been made to stop this at the custom house, where American money is exchanged at its true value.

TWO MEN KILLED

And Four Others Fatally Injured

BY COLLAPSE OF A CORNICE IN PHILADELPHIA.

It Was an Old Building Badly Constructed.

Philadelphia, Aug. 19.—Two men were instantly killed, four probably fatally injured and two others seriously injured by the collapse of the cornice on a new building. The dead are: Albert Green and Thomas Lyons. The fatally injured are: C. Schroder, fractured skull; Harry Evans, cut about the head and injured internally; Thomas Mundy, badly cut about the head and face; Frank McIntyre, fractured skull. The men who were killed were at work on the scaffold when the crash came. The heavy cornice carried them down, and the entire weight fell on the bricklayers who were at work on the pavement.

The accident is supposed to have been caused by the shortening of the purchase rods in the cornice supports. Schroder and Evans died after they had been taken to the hospital.

PUT IN A STRONGER BILL.

Westerly, R. I., Aug. 19.—Acting on the suggestion of Governor Dyer, Sheriff Cundall has transferred H. C. Schooley, who is charged with the death of Maria Flynn of Watch Hill last week, from the Washington county jail at Kingston to the state prison at Cranston. The move was made to prevent any possibility of escape by the prisoner.

The police now believe that the girl was murdered instead of meeting death at her own hands by drowning in trying to escape from the prisoner.

HOSMER WAS BEATEN.

Nantasket Beach, Mass., Aug. 19.—Ten Eyck easily defeated Hosmer in a three-mile single scull race for a purse of $100 yesterday afternoon. The course was parallel to the shore, so that many thousands of people were able to see the race, which was one of the chief events of the summer carnival at this place. Owing to the difficulty in setting the buoys, no time was taken.

DEADLOCK IN TEXAS.

Fort Worth, Tex., Aug. 19.—The Republican state convention, which has been in session three days, is again deadlocked. This time it is over the report of the committee on resolutions which has not been able to agree. There is still much difference of opinion as to the advisability of nominating a state ticket.

LIVERY STABLE BURNED.

East Bridgewater, Mass., Aug. 19.—Lightning struck in several places during a storm yesterday afternoon, but the only serious damage was done to the livery stable of F. L. Weshee. All of the horses and carriages were saved, but a greater portion of the building, with 20 tons of hay, was consumed. The loss was $1000.

POST OFFICE.

OF LITTLETON N. H., ROBBED BY SAFE CRACKERS.

Littleton, N. H., Aug. 19.—The postoffice at Franconia was broken into early Thursday morning, an entrance being effected through an adjoining library building. The safe was blown open and $256 in money and a large quantity of stamps were taken.

AERONAUT INJURED.

Lynn, Aug. 19.—F. H. Cole, an aeronaut, when about to make an ascension at Nahant beach yesterday afternoon, was blown forcibly against one of the swing posts and then hurled into a crowd of people. His spine was seriously injured.

BASE BALL.

Boston, Aug. 19.—The champions took another game from the Chicagoes yesterday in the easiest manner, none of the visitors getting across the home plate. The home team won the game in the first two innings by heavy batting. Both sides fielded brilliantly, but the Chicagoes were very weak at the bat. Score:

Bostons.	AB	R	BB	PO	A	E
Hamilton, s. f.	4	1	0	1	0	0
Tenney, 1 b.	1	1	1	3	1	0
Bergen, 1 b.	4	0	1	3	0	0
Long, s. s.	5	2	2	1	4	1
Duffy, l. f.	4	1	3	0	0	0
Collins, 3 b.	4	1	1	1	4	0
Stafford, r. f.	4	3	4	2	0	0
Yeager, c.	4	0	1	2	2	0
Lowe, 2 b.	4	1	3	7	4	0
Lewis, p.	3	0	1	2	2	0
Hickman, p.	1	0	1	0	0	0
Totals	38	10	18	27	17	1

Chicagoes.	AB	R	BB	PO	A	E
Green, c. f.	4	0	0	1	0	0
Everitt, 1 b.	3	0	0	12	1	0
Thornton, l. f.	2	0	0	1	0	0
Dahlen, s. s.	2	0	1	3	3	0
McCormick, 3 b.	3	0	0	0	6	0
Merles, r. f.	1	0	0	0	0	0
Woods, p.	2	0	1	1	3	0
Connor, 2 b.	3	0	0	4	2	0
Donohue, c.	0	0	0	1	0	0
Chance, c.	3	0	0	0	0	0
Isbel, p.	3	0	0	1	1	0
Totals	26	0	2	24	16	0

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Earned runs—Bostons, 8. Two base hits—Lowe and Hickman. Three base hit—Tenney. Home run—Stafford. Stolen bases—Hamilton and Stafford. Double plays—Lowe, Long and Bergen; Lewis, Lowe and Bergen; McCormick and Everitt; Dahlen and Everitt. First base on balls—By Lewis, 1; by Hickman, 2; by Isbel, 1. Struck out—By Isbel, 1. Time — 1:26. Attendance—2600. Umpires—Gaffney and Brown.

Attack of the Louisvilles lost his game with the orioles yesterday in the first inning. He steadied in the second. Nops was hit freely, but had fine support.

Catcher Kinslow has signed with the St. Louis club.

The senators won in the ninth on three singles, a base on balls and Tucker's error in yesterday's game with the St. Louis team.

Opportune hitting by the Phillies and loose fielding by the Pittsburgs enabled the Quakers to win, 8 to 4.

The New Yorks won a third time from the Cincinnatis. Damman lasted the first inning, five runs being made off him. Hawley succeeded him. Seymour pitched great ball. Score: 7 to 0.

After the Clevelands had won the first game yesterday from the New Yorks the second was started, but after two innings it was called on account of rain. No runs had been scored.

The Springfield team was whitewashed by Syracuse, being unable to hit Villiman at the proper time. It rained steadily during four innings in the middle of the game. Captain Bannon has been released.

The Providences opened the final home series with a victory over the Wilkesbarres in a magnificent game yesterday. It was a pitching battle, and a little streak of clever hitting in the fifth inning won the game. Egan's curves and generalship were too much for the hard hitting barons, and they were shut out.

MAGUIRE FOR GOVERNOR.

Sacramento, Aug. 19.—The Democratic state convention on assembling yesterday received the report of the committee on fusion. It recited that the People's party and silver-Republicans were in accord with the program of fusion and would support the Democratic ticket if it should proceed along the lines mapped out. It urged the adoption of the fusion plan, and the matter was put to a vote without debate. Fusion carried by less than a dozen votes.

W. H. Alford, chairman of the central committee, then nominated Congressman James C. Maguire for governor in a brief speech, in which he said that industrial freedom was the one fight the Democracy had in view. Senator White seconded the nomination in an eulogistic speech, wherein he reviewed Mr. Maguire's record in congress on the railroad question. Mr. Maguire was nominated by a rising vote.

LOST A BARREL OF MONEY.

Buffalo, Aug. 19.—The boast of H. M. Hanna and other Cleveland friends of the western mare, Mattie Patterson, that nobody could tell how fast she could go, was short-lived yesterday, when Directum Kelly, a 4-year-old colt, took her measure in the $5000 queen city stake, 2:16 trot. The Vilander mare had a heat in 2:14 to her credit before the rain on Wednesday, but Directum Kelly won a hard-fought heat in 2:08¾, following with two more heats in 2:10¼ and 2:10¼, the second being a beautiful drive by Kelly and a great burst of speed by the colt after a disastrous break, putting him many lengths back. The Cleveland party lost a barrel of money. The pool boxes held about $50,000 on the race.

BARNS BURNED AND CROPS LOST.

Middletown, N. Y., Aug. 19.—During a cyclonic storm in Orange county several barns containing the year's crops were struck by lightning and burned. At Montgomery the storm was the most severe. Houses were shattered, trees uprooted and property generally destroyed. The whole orchard on the Daniel Van Alst place was flattened, and a number of cattle was killed. The extensive barns of the state homeopathic hospital in this city were struck by lightning, but the fire was extinguished immediately.

LOST A PONTOON.

Halifax, Aug. 19.—The Argus of Boston, which left here Tuesday for New York with wrecking pontoons for Santiago in tow, has arrived at Shelburne, 150 miles west of Halifax, in distress, having encountered heavy gales Tuesday night and lost one pontoon in the storm. The steamer has landed a man at Shelburne sick or injured. The missing pontoon is adrift or sunk.

HIS NECK BROKEN.

South Norwalk, Conn., Aug. 19.—Frederick Bouton, aged 50, a painter, was almost instantly killed by the scaffold on which he was at work collapsing and letting him to the ground. His neck was broken.

RACES POSTPONED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Old Orchard, Me., Aug. 19.—Today's races were postponed on account of rain. An attempt will be made tomorrow to clean up the remainder of the program.

ICE CREAM PARTY.

An enjoyable ice cream party was held last night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Rourke on Concord street. The following was the program: solo, Fol. Montmarquet; vocal solos, Misses Bella Parsons, Maude Constantineau and Mr. P. Farrell. Dancing was also indulged in. Refreshments were served.

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Maltox makes the old feel young.

STORIES OF RELIEF.

Two Letters to Mrs. Pinkham.

Mrs. John Williams, Englishtown, N. J., writes:

"Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—I cannot begin to tell you how I suffered before taking your remedies. I was so weak that I could hardly walk across the floor without falling. I had womb trouble and such a bearing-down feeling; also suffered with my back and limbs, pain in womb, inflammation of the bladder, piles and indigestion. Before I had taken one bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I felt a great deal better, and after taking two and one-half bottles and half a box of your Liver Pills I was cured. If more would take your medicine they would not have to suffer so much."

Mrs. Joseph Peterson, 513 East St., Warren, Pa., writes:

"Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—I have suffered with womb trouble over fifteen years. I had inflammation, enlargement and displacement of the womb. I had the backache constantly, also headache, and was so dizzy. I had heart trouble, it seemed as though my heart was in my throat at times choking me. I could not walk around and I could not lie down, for then my heart would beat so fast I would feel as though I was smothering. I had to sit up in bed nights in order to breathe. I was so weak I could not do anything.

"I have now taken several bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and used three packages of Sanative Wash, and can say I am perfectly cured. I do not think I could have lived long if Mrs. Pinkham's medicine had not helped me."

Summer Health.

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653 Merrimack Street.

OF ROUGH RIDERS

A Romance in Which Son Finds Mother

WITH WHOM HE HAD PARTED IN CHILDHOOD.

Another Rough Rider Accidentally Finds Father.

Jacksonville, Fla., Aug. 18.—Thomas Williams of Torrey's Rough Riders has left for Fort Meade to see his mother, whom he had thought dead for many years. She is now 81 years old and has mourned her son for many years.

The Williams family lived on the border years ago, when Indians made a raid and killed Williams's father. His mother bravely fought off the Indians killing several when she was struck "Tom" then 7 or 8 years old, was taken away by the band and for a year or two was subjected to the worst kind of treatment. He bears scars on his face and person where the skin was torn off by the Indians in their efforts to harden him.

One day the band he was with met defeat and the boy was rescued by the whites. It took several years to win him back to civilization, he then being a strong hearty youth of 18 or so. He became a cowboy in Wyoming.

Thomas enlisted under Colonel Torrey and came here. In some manner his strange story became known and his aged mother, now living at Fort Meade, Fla., 200 miles south of here, was informed of it. She communicated with friends here and Williams learned that his mother still lived. In less than twenty hours he secured a furlough and now he is on his way to see her.

Another strange case came up this morning when a private met his father who had been missing more than 10 years. The father had left his western home suddenly and this spring came to Jacksonville, purchasing a small business. The soldier went into the store last night. The recognition was mutual.

IN HAVERHILL.

COMOMN COUNCIL ENRAGED AT STREET COMMITTEE.

Haverhill, Aug. 18.—Pres. Carr of the common council held the floor for the greater part of the session this evening and made one of the most violent speeches ever heard in the chamber.

The members of the street committee who at their last meeting instructed the superintendent of street to require nine hours labor from laborers in his department, contrary to orders of the city council, who voted for an eight-hour day, were the subjects of his attack. He declared that their action was unlawful and narchiste and condemned them severely. He offered resolutions do this effect which were passed by a vote of nine to three and then offered a series of orders on the same matter.

The first of these instructed the two members of the committee from the council to vote at the next meeting of the committee to rescind their former action in abolishing the eight hour work day and in connection with this he declared that the committee in failing to carry out the orders of the city council had violated the city ordinances, and that he would prosecute them if they not rescind their action. This order was passed.

Another was then offered declaring the seats in the committee of the two council members to be vacant. This order he asked to have lie on the table until the next meeting, so that all members could have a chance to vote upon it.

The members of the committee defend their action by saying that they were instructed by an informal opinion of the city solicitor that the eight hour ordinance was illegal on account of its conflict with the public statutes. The street laborers are now working nine hours a day.

FOR LOCAL TREATMENT.
of female ills Mrs. Pinkham advises women to use St. Elmo Syringe, specially invented for that purpose. Illustrated book and goods at Ellingwood's Drug Store.

MUSIC HALL.

Commencing tomorrow night, the Dazzler will begin a four nights' engagement at Music Hall. Those wishing to see a first class farce comedy should not fail to see the Dazzler. It is bright, clean and breezy, full of songs, dances, and good specialties. It is tuned up to date. The company is headed by the charming soubrette, Miss May Flirt and the funny comedian Howard Bolden.

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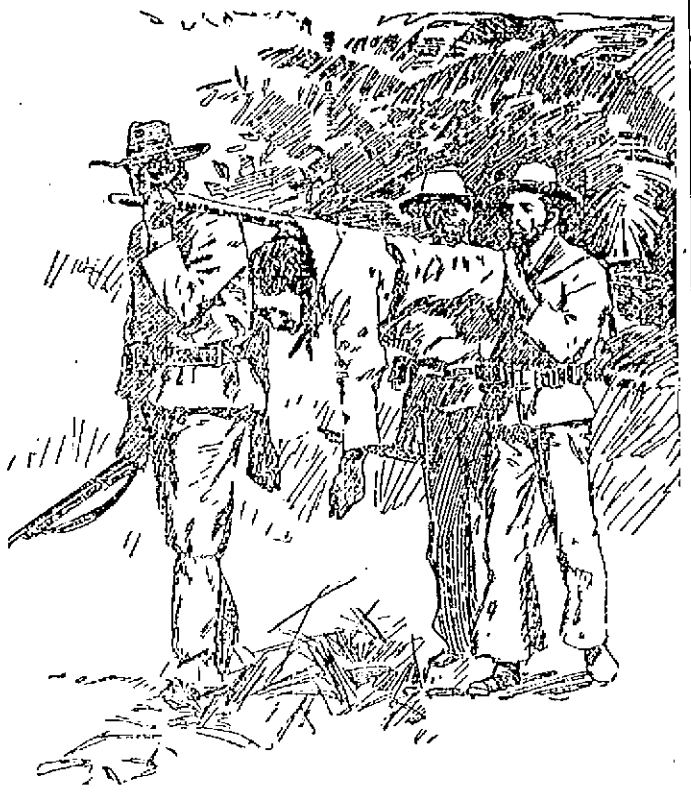


PORTO RICAN METHOD OF CARRYING THE INJURED.

LOWELL BOYS FOUGHT WELL.

(Continued.)

to resign, two of them for cowardice, they say. The Spaniards are asking for peace. Well, they ought to after the way we licked them here. The old Sixth did all the fighting here. The regulars were not in it. The war ships have landed with tons of mail here and I expect a few letters soon, so if there is any for me, I will answer them right off. It gets dark here at six o'clock now and in January it does not get dark until 9 o'clock.

In the march the other day there were 150 men fell on the roadside, some sunstruck and some fainting for a drink of water. Talk about walking; the cake walk is not in it. Tell Joe Hibbard to have a good old lively time for Company G when they get home and I bet we will show him how to go the cake walk. I guess I will close, hoping to hear from you soon.

Goodbye.
—Billy.

PRIVATE LAPOINTE.

Mrs. Lapointe of 85 French street has received the following letter from her husband, John J. Lapointe, who is a private in Company C, Sixth Massachusetts regiment.

Ponce, Porto Rico.
August 4, 1898.

Dear Wife:

I will write you these few lines to let you know that I am well, hoping you are the same. I will tell you that I have had no mail since that letter you sent to Camp Alger dated July 5th. I am very anxious to hear from you. It seems almost a year since I heard from you last. We heard this morning that the war was settled; if so, we will soon be home. We had only one battle since we landed and that was the first night we got off. There were only 2 men wounded out of our regiment and we killed 40 Spaniards and wounded 60. They are not in it with us. I never had so much fun as I did that night. We killed everything we saw in white, such as horses, cows, goats, pigs and dogs. I thought I shot a Spaniard and I ran up to take his gun away from him When I got up to him I found that it was a white pig that I had shot and then the boys had the laugh on me. It is very warm out here and we have to march from 12 to 15 miles a day. I tell you it is hard on us; all we get are two meals a day and but very little at each meal. My clothes are getting too big for me, but never mind, I will fill them when I get home and I hope it will be soon. I think another month will see me home all right. Well, I can't think of anything new to write for we don't see or hear anything here and we can't speak to the people out here for we can't understand them. They speak Spanish.

Don't worry about me, for I will pull through all right. I will now close for this time, so good-bye, and God bless you. From your loving husband,
—John J. Lapointe.

Miss Pindar, daughter of Col. Albert Pindar, who has been studying music in Europe, has returned.

Mr. J. G. Bultrick, wife and three children are spending a few weeks in Fitchburg with Mrs. Buttrick's brother, James Webster.

Good coal, prompt delivery, good service guaranteed by Bonnie & Sullivan 223 Central street, 984 Gorham street.

Miss Adelaide A. Sullivan, the popular organist is spending a couple of weeks at Nantasket.

PLOT A FAILURE

Intended to Blow Up Police Court.

TWENTY-FIVE POUNDS OF POWDER

In a Can With Fuse Under the Judge.

Vancouver, B. C., Aug. 19.—At Steveston, B. C., yesterday, an attempt to blow up the police station and court room by gunpowder failed. A can with 25 pounds of powder in it was found underneath the police court room directly below Magistrate Pearson's chair. A fuse connected with the can had been lighted and had burned to within six inches of the powder and then went out. The general belief is that it was aimed at he life of Magistrate Pearson, who has made some enemies.

DEATHS.

McGRATH—Kate, infant daughter of John and Margaret McGrath, died yesterday afternoon at 108 Common street, aged three months.

COLLINS—Mrs. John Collins aged 38 years, died last night at her home 42 Wilson street, North Billerica. Besides her husband she leaves one daughter, Annie and two sons, T. A. and Edward Collins. The funeral will take place Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

BLODEAU—Xavier Blodeau, aged 67 years, died yesterday morning at 32 De Grasse avenue.

CURTIN—Leona Curtin, infant child of Michael and Mary Curtin, died yesterday at the home of her parents, 169 South street.

McGRATH—Katie J. McGrath, aged 3 months, daughter of John and Margaret McGrath, died yesterday afternoon at the home of her parents, 108 Common street.

SMITH—Elizabeth M. Smith, wife of William Smith, died yesterday at her home in Dracut. She was 62 years old and a pioneer resident of the town.

Mr. Wm. J. Currel, Jr., and Mr. Myles J. Fletcher have been visiting friends in Nashua.

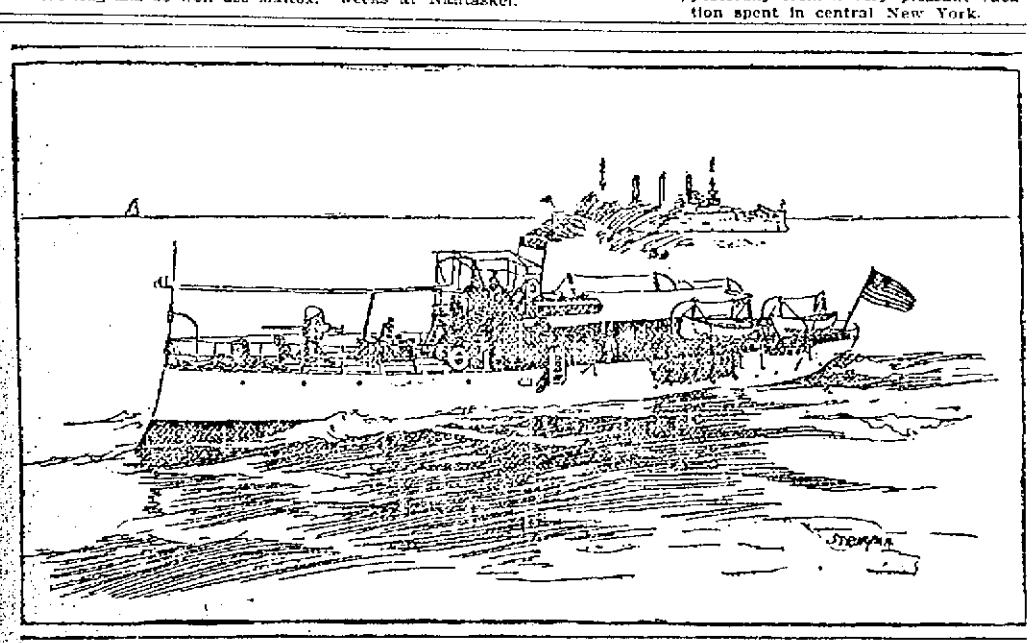
P. R. Warren is among the guests at the Hotel Howison, Milford, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Holland and family of Winchester are the guests of Mrs. Mary Aiken, 35 Shaw street.

Master Willie and Miss Pansy Sawyer have returned home from an enjoyable vacation of two months spent in Scituate, Mass.

Miss Maggie Roarke of Market street and Miss Tessie Eagan are spending two weeks at Crescent beach.

Dr. Martin and his family returned yesterday from a very pleasant vacation spent in central New York.



SPANISH GUNBOAT COLEREO, CAPTURED IN THE HARBOR OF SANTIAGO.

PONCE OPEN FOR TRADE

Things Began to Hum After the Americans Arrived.

FRIENDLINESS OF THE PEOPLE

Customs Receipts of $21,000 Started the New Administration — The Question of Money Exchange — Firemen and Policemen Saluted Americans Wherever Met. The Ponce Milk Delivery—Spanish Collection of Lies.

The New York Sun's correspondent at Ponce, writing under the date of July 30, tells about business transactions in that important city of Porto Rico. He says:

The day before yesterday no business was done at the custom house of Ponce, the officials having abandoned their posts somewhat hastily and unceremoniously. Tonight Colonel Hill has $21,000, received in payment of customs duties in the old building by the waterside at the Playa. From this it will be seen how quickly business resumed its course after the arrival of the Americans at this important city of the island, the greatest molasses port in the world.

On Wednesday Ponce was Spanish. On Saturday, today, it is American in fact and in spirit, with no magic charm to account for the change except the glorious "flag of the stars," as one Porto Rican alcalde has called it, borne before a few thousand boys in blue and brown, who have been greeted as brothers come home where they expected to fight as conquerors. On Thursday night soldiers were still landing from the troopships in the harbor and questioning those ashore ahead of them as to what fighting had been done by the advance body and what was to be feared about the Playa. On Saturday morning the American port of Ponce, P. R., was doing business, even to the establishment of strict quarantine regulations, with the U. S. S. Cincinnati as guardship and Captain Chester as captain of the port. A United States squadron, with the Massachusetts as flagship, was at home in the bay, with the muzzles of the guns capped and the gun crews at rest.

Merchant ships of different nations, yachts, tugs and lighters indicated a busy harbor. On shore warehouses that were closed on Thursday were open, receiving and delivering goods. The soldiers who passed in front of them were, many of them, unarmed, having discarded even revolvers and cartridge belt. Here and there a closed warehouse gave the appearance of a partial observance of the Saturday half holiday. A British merchant captain, who had been five days in the harbor trying to discharge his cargo, welcomed the transformation that had come over the scene not less than the Porto Ricans and the agreeably surprised American soldiers and sailors. He had been unable to get anybody to work at unloading his cargo of provisions before the arrival of the Americans, and he had considered it advisable to go armed when in the city. Now he was again among people who believed in work.

It was a picture, the arrival of the Americans on Thursday morning, when the American flag was hoisted at daybreak over the office of the Spanish captain of the port. At the hour when the families of most of the soldiers were breakfasting at home American officers were being conducted about the city to which they had come in the guise of enemies by residents of the city, who could not show them courtesies enough. It was a coincidence not to escape notice that this first excursion of the Americans, for excursion it amounted to, brought up at the palace of justice. Thither their native entertainers led the American officers, after having shown them the roads over which the fleeing Spaniards had gone and some of the chief points of interest in the city. In the middle of the morning navy officers in immaculate uniforms drove unarmed around the town, and noncombatants of the invading expedition dickered in security with men whose language they could not speak to convey them in half closed traps over an unknown road several miles into a city which the enemy had indeed surrendered, but where, considering that enemy's character, treachery was to be feared if not expected. Considerable stretches of the way and many streets of the city were without American patrol, and Spaniards, even Spanish officers in civilian dress, were pointed out by friendly natives riding down toward the playa to see what the newcomers were like and what they were about.

But the Spaniards were few and the Porto Ricans were many. The Spaniards were inconspicuous and the Porto Ricans quiet, except in their demonstrations of welcome to the men they were pleased to call their deliverers. These were hearty, as when the bomberos or firemen drew up and saluted the invading forces, or effusive citizens proffered their best services to individual Americans whom they happened to pick out and address. The firemen and policemen all day saluted Americans wherever met, and at the chief public square, Bombas Parque—park of the bomberos—stray Americans who found themselves the center of an agitated, voluble crowd were likely to see close at the edge of the crowd watchful policemen, who certainly had every appearance of being sincerely if needlessly concerned in behalf of the welfare of the Americans. The policemen watched, too, released political prisoners who owed their new freedom to the Americans, and who, it seemed to be feared, might incite some unwelcome demonstrations.

Of course the apparent and real security felt and exhibited by the Americans was not without something actual for a base. The American troops, though only a few of them, were not only posted where seemed most needful about the town, but had pushed out along the road after the Spanish army some two or three miles beyond the town. Yet how few these were may be inferred from the frequent questions of the natives as to where the American army was. They expected to see soldiers everywhere.

A peculiar feature of the day was the absence of the American flag in the brilliant display of national colors in town and harbor. French, Danish, British, German, Austrian, Haitian, Italian, Red Cross flags floated everywhere. Harbor craft that were plainly Spanish property flew flags of any nation, and the number of foreign flags over buildings was astonishing in a town among whose 49,000 people only 3,303 were others than natives of Porto Rico and Cuba. The figures are from the last census, brought up to the beginning of this year, and the 3,303 included the Spanish garrison. The craft under false colors were promptly confiscated.

No attention was paid to the houses flying flags any more than to those which flew none. But it would seem as if the authorities must have at some time required the surrender of all American flags of size in the place or that the inhabitants have not sought possession of the stars and stripes, for even after the city was wholly in the hands of the United States forces there was scarcely an American emblem to be seen except those of the soldiers and a comparatively small number of the miniature flags which are sold as buttonhole insignia by the hucksters at home.

The stores on Thursday were most of them shut. Some, chiefly those of Porto Ricans or of persons able to hoist a foreign flag, were doing a small business. Timid provision dealers, whose trade made it necessary that they remain open, shivered when Americans entered to buy, fearing that if they sold to the pigs the Spaniards might come back and cut them up for doing so or that Spanish sympathizers among their customers would show resentment. In some cases these men gave away whatever an American asked for, but "throw fits for sure" at his first assay to get out his pocketbook. They would have none of his money. Later in the day, when the Americans became more numerous and showed a corresponding increase of capacity, it is fair to say the tradesmen of this type became less squeamish. They took money and made change.

Smart natives were able to turn a good thing in a monetary way early on the day of the Americans' arrival. They cunningly quoted prices in dollars instead of pesos, and quietly took the good American dollars offered them at peso value, saying nothing. When Yankee shrewdness woke up, the dollar immediately went to a premium of 100 per cent. Yesterday the same ratio prevailed. This morning the premium had declined to 75 per cent, and this afternoon in many places American silver is accepted only at par with Spanish. It made men groan to part even with the cartwheels at no better than par with the Spanish grindstones, but when they wanted what the other fellows had it had to be done. The law of supply and demand was seen in active operation right at home. American gold and notes continued at the 75 per cent premium. Porto Rican notes are refused absolutely.

One reason given for the sudden appreciation of the island silver is the locking up of so much of it at the new custom house, most of Colonel Hill's $21,000 being in the native coins. When this is returned to circulation, the premium on the American coins is expected to come again into being. There are not wanting in the interim advocates of an order from the American authorities to fix an arbitrary rate of exchange on the island coinage and currency. With the custom house at the playa and the bulk of retail business at the town proper there is opportunity in the absence of an official exchange ratio for a considerable range in the matter.

A very curious feature of the streets is the milk delivery. This takes place before and during the noon, or breakfast, hour, breakfast being taken here between 12 and 3 o'clock. Sometimes the milk is still being sold at 4 or 5 o'clock. The milkman drives from door to door from one to four or five cows, each branded with a number and usually one or more of them accompanied by a calf. The driver cries his approach, and the customer fetches or sends out a pan, pail, bottle or cup, which he hands to the milkman. The milkman puts into the receptacle the quantity of milk paid for, which he induces the cow to yield after the usual manner. The operation is repeated at each customer's, and some of the American soldiers are taking advantage of the opportunity offered to get warm milk.

Some citizens of Ponce, who have not been in sympathy with the Spanish government, have made up what they term the collection of lies, consisting of the mendacious telegrams, purporting to give the news of land and naval engagements between Spaniards and Americans, which have been issued by the government for public consumption. It forms quite a fat book. One of the dispatches, published on July 12, told of "the glorious destruction of Cervera's squadron." "The Spanish navy may die, but never surrenders," it says, and adds that after a glorious combat all the Spanish vessels sank "after giving battle to Sampson's fleet and sinking the New York, Massachusetts, Annapolis and another gunboat, the name of which is not given."

Went Home Too Soon.

Wayler made a mistake by not remaining in Cuba and getting into the surrender. He might, like Cervera, have become an American hero.—Pittsburg Times.

Better Look Twice.

Uncle Sam had better look twice before he Philippines.—Toledo Bee.

Got It Right at Last.

A farmer who had lost a son in the war employed the village poet to write an obituary, which ran as follows:

He for his country fit and fout
Until death blowed his candle out.

"That won't do," said the bereaved parent, "kaze they don't use candles now. Take another whirl at it." The poet squared his jaws and presently produced the following:

He fit and fout with gun and knife
Till death blowed out the gas of life.

"That's better, now!" exclaimed the farmer. "I've blowed out the gas myself a-many a time!"—Atlanta Constitution.

Collector's Notice.

Office of the Collector of Taxes,
Lowell, Mass., Aug. 5, 1898.

The owners and occupants of the following described parcels of real estate, situated in the city of Lowell, in the county of Middlesex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and the public are hereby notified that the taxes thereon severally assessed for the year hereinafter specified, according to the list submitted to me as collector of taxes for said city by the assessors of taxes remain unpaid, and that said parcels of real estate will be offered for sale at public auction at the office of the collector at city hall, on Wednesday, September 7, 1898, at 10 o'clock a. m., for the payment of said taxes, with the costs and charges thereon, unless the same shall be previously discharged.

No. 99—Ward 8, precinct 1. Amasa Howard, 5505 square feet of land, more or less, being Lot No. 12 Edwards street, on the east side of said street, between land now or formerly of O. Morrill on the north, and land now or formerly of B. W. Johnson on the south.
Tax of 1896, $2.25.

No. 100—Ward 8, precinct 3. Dorothy Kenistou, 1875 square feet of land, more or less, being Lot No. 464 Quebec street, on the west side of said street, between land now or formerly of E. A. Thissell on the north, and land now or formerly of A. L. Wright on the south.
Tax of 1896, $1.50.

No. 101.—Ward 8, precinct 1. Edward P. McCoy, 1 1-4 acres of land, more or less, with buildings thereon, situate No. 5 Dublin Lane, on the west side of said lane, between land now or formerly of John Sayers on the north, and land now or formerly of John and J. F. Sayers on the south.
Tax of 1896, $11.25.

No. 102—Ward 8, precinct 1. Edward D. McVey, 4,000 square feet of land, more or less, with buildings thereon, situate No. 519 Westford street, on the north side of said street, between land now or formerly of Kingsley and Woodward on the east, and land now or formerly of John A. Hunt on the west.
Tax of 1896, $33.00.

No. 103—Ward 8, precinct 2. Avery J. Marshall, 10606 square feet of land more or less, with buildings thereon, situate No. 215 Parker street, on the north side of said street, between land now or formerly of A. Marshall on the east and Wilder street on the west.
Tax of 1896, $39.90.

No. 104—Ward 8, precinct 2. Avery J. Marshall, 8329 square feet of land more or less, with buildings thereon, situate No. 207 Parker street, on the north side of said street, between land now or formerly of Thomas Fay on the east, and land now or formerly of A. Marshall on the west.
Tax of 1896, $22.50.

No. 105—Ward 8, precinct 2. Avery J. Marshall, 10,000 square feet of land, more or less, being Lot No. 16, Chelmsford street, on the east side of said street, between land now or formerly of Joseph Welch on the south, and land now or formerly of John Bailey on the north.
Tax of 1896, $7.50.

No. 107—Ward 8, precinct 2. Frank McMahon, 22,500 square feet of land, more or less with buildings thereon, situate No. 539 Chelmsford street, on the west side of said street, between land now or formerly of Mary Prudhomme on the north and land now or formerly of James H. Wright on the south.
Tax of 1896, $36.00.

No. 108—Ward 8, precinct 2. Frank McMahon, 4555 square feet of land, more or less, being Lot No. 14 Houghton street, on the east side of said street between land now or formerly of J. W. Bennett and John Harriman on the north and land now or formerly of J. W. Bennett on the south.
Tax of 1896, $3.75.

No. 111—Ward 8, precinct 1. Mary M. Pierce, 5,000 square feet of land, more or less, with buildings thereon, situate No. 9 Sayles street on the west side of said street, between land now or formerly of M. Wilcox and T. Cahill on the north and land now or formerly of William E. Livingston on the south.
Tax of 1896, $40.50.

No. 113—Ward 8, precinct 1. Sarah P. Stiles, 2532 square feet of land, more or less, with buildings thereon situate No. 17 Watson avenue on the north side of said avenue, between land now or formerly of Jane Noble on the east, and land now or formerly of L. P. Montferrand on the west.
Tax of 1896, $14.85.

No. 114—Ward 8, precinct 3. Unknown owner, 889 square feet of land, more or less, being Lots Nos. 481 and 482 Montreal street, on the south side of said street, between land now or formerly of the Lowell & Andover railroad on the east and land now or formerly of the Old Colony railroad on the west.
Tax of 1896, $0.75.

No. 115—Ward 8, precinct 3. Unknown owner, 5625 square feet of land, more or less, being Lot No. 541 Montreal street, on the north side of said street, between land now or formerly of Mrs. M. L. Goddard on the east, and land now or formerly of D. F. Tombs on the west.
Tax of 1896, $3.25.

No. 116—Ward 8, precinct 3. Sarah and Nellie A. Upton, 5700 square feet of land more or less, with buildings thereon, situate at No. 30 Washington street, on the east side of said street, between land now or formerly of I. M. Grafton on the north and land now or formerly of J. H. Kennedy on the south.
Tax of 1896, $26.25.

No. 118—Ward 8, precinct 2. Edgar P. Barclay, 5696 square feet of land more or less, with buildings thereon, situate No. 23 Washington street, on the west side of said street, between land now or formerly of S. C. Smiley on the north and land now or formerly of H. H. Beard on the south.
Tax of 1896, $33.75.

No. 119—Ward 8, precinct 3. Nathaniel Batchelder, 1757 square feet of land, more or less, with buildings thereon, situate No. 238 Plain street, on the north side of said street, between land now or formerly of Duane P. Stacy on the west, and land now or formerly of William L. Farnham on the east.
Tax of 1896, $18.75.

No. 120—Ward 8, precinct 3. Otis B. Bates, 1875 square feet of land, more or less being Lot No. 187 Montreal street, on north side of said street, between land now or formerly of Elizabeth Andrews on the east, and land now or formerly of Lanson and Thissell on the west.
Tax of 1896, $1.50.

No. 121.—Ward 8, precinct 3. James A. Cheever, 8818 square feet of land, more or less, being Lots Nos. 426, 427, and part of 428 Plain and Main streets, on the northeast corner of said streets between land now or formerly of the Old Colony railroad on the east and Montreal street on the north.
Tax of 1896, $6.75.

No. 122.—Ward 8, precinct 3. Charles P. Curran, 3561 square feet of land, more or less situate on the north side of West London street, between land now or formerly of John McMahon on the east and land now or formerly of Mrs. P. S. Webster on the west.
Tax of 1896, $3.00.

No. 123—Ward 8, precinct 3. John P. O'Connor, 2771 square feet of land, more or less, being Lot No. 509 Quebec street, on the east side of said street, between land now or formerly of J. C. Franck on the north and land now or formerly of J. A. Ellison on the south.
Tax of 1896, $0.75.

Other estates to be sold for unpaid taxes will be found advertised in the Citizen, News, Mail, Courier, and L'Etoile of this date.

Charles F. Coburn,
City Treasurer and Collector of Taxes for the City of Lowell.

NEW RECORD

IN CRICKET MADE AT CHESTERFIELD, ENG.

Chesterfield Eng., Aug. 19.—In the cricket match between Yorkshire and Derbyshire, which began yesterday, Brown and Tunnicliffe, for Yorkshire, made the sensational score of 554 before the partnership was dissolved today.

This is the world's record for first class cricket the previous record being 398.

The pair went in first yesterday and batted all day long, the score at the close of play being 660. This morning Tunnicliffe made his score 243 before he was dismissed and Brown was not out with a score of 292 and extras 1 9.

Brown soon followed, having totalled 300.

SALE POSTPONED.

The assignees of O'Hearn & Dowd are forced to announce that the great bargain sale which was to have opened at 9 o'clock today, will have to be postponed until Saturday morning at 9 o'clock, owing to their inability to sort and mark the immense amount of stock which this firm carried. As it is, they will have to work night and day to complete their work and on Saturday everything will be in order and especially low prices will rule. Don't forget to read their advertisement in today's paper and that the sale will commence promptly at 9 o'clock Saturday a. m.

Miss Ada J. Tibbetts is registered at the Essex House, Salem.

Miss Rose Feeney of Adams street has returned to her home after a few days' stay with friends at Rye beach, N. H.

Miss Maggie Rabitt of Elm street and Miss Etta McHugh of Andrews street have gone to the Rangeley Lakes to stay two weeks.

Victor Delisle and wife of 160 Appleton street are among the guests at the Atlantic House, Nantasket beach.

Don't Tobacco Spit and Smoke Your Life Away.

To quit tobacco easily and forever, be magnetic, full of life, nerve and vigor, take No-To-Bac, the wonder-worker, that makes weak men strong. All druggists, 50c or $1. Cure guaranteed. Booklet and sample free. Address Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or New York.

Don't die by inches—get well—use Maltox.

Sweeten Your Bowels With Cascarets. Candy Cathartic, cure constipation forever. 10c, 25c. If C. C. C. fail, druggists refund money.

Use Maltox if you are worn out.

SUPPLIES MUCH NEEDED.

Santiago, Aug. 19.—Hospital supplies and nurses are much needed. Large quantities of supplies have already been distributed by Dr. E. G. Brackett of the Massachusetts Aid association, who arrived two weeks ago. All the hospital ships leaving here are under orders to return, as the number of sick is too large for the present service. The fever is increasing among the remaining troops.

Four thousand Spanish troops have already been shipped and two transports left today with 3000 more. General Toral says more transports will be needed than have been provided. The 6000 Spanish at Guantanamo bay cannot leave before the last of the month. Sickness is increasing among them.

General Wood has ordered the sale of whisky, beer and wines stopped everywhere, and provided severe penalties for infractions of the rule. Restaurant keepers are greatly depressed by this order, which confines their sale of drinks to coffee and lemonade.

Clara Barton and a large portion of her force will leave the first of next week.

Those Absent Ones.

The mayors of Ponce, San Juan and other Porto Rican cities were detained by pressing business from attending the present convention of American municipalities, but they will probably be on hand next year.—Detroit Free Press.

DON'T YOU WITCH
you had a pint bottle of Dows' Witch Hazel—only 25c. 569 Central St.

GERMAN HATE

Clearly Shown to Americans at Manila.

Tried to Prevent Capitulation of the City and Was Leagued With Augustin—Future of the Philippines — Spain's Commissioners Appointed—Other Despatches.

Hong Kong, Aug. 19.—It appears that Governor General Augustin did not quite abdicate; he only declined to be responsible for the consequences. When he found that Spain was not sending him help, he retained his position, but practically washed his hands of the fighting. This was construed as insubordination, and The Gazette published an order to supersede him. It is rumored that confidential instructions were given to his successor to resist to the utmost, hoping to gain the world's admiration and, possibly, assistance in securing a favorable termination.

A telegram arrived Aug. 7, ordering the Americans to proceed immediately to extremities, whereupon General Merritt and Admiral Dewey issued an ultimatum allowing 48 hours for the removal of non-combatants, but declaring that they would begin the bombardment earlier if the Spaniards made any attack. The governor replied immediately, thanking the American commanders for their humane sentiments, but saying that they were useless, because he was surrounded with rebels and had no place of refuge for the great number of sick and wounded, and women and children.

The governor convened the consuls, begging them to use their influence with the Americans to get them to grant him time and facilities for the removal of the refugees, and suggesting the use of the American troopships; but he was unwilling to allow them food from Manila. He seemed indifferent to the fate of the 100,000 natives. The British consul made a powerful appeal to the governor to surrender, glorifying the heroism hitherto shown by the Spanish, but demonstrating the hopelessness of further resistance. The other consuls endorsed his appeal, with the exception of the German consul, who said that, as a military officer, he should hesitate to assert that the Spaniards had done enough yet.

In consequence of the American ultimatum the governor ordered the artillery to cease shelling the enemy's trenches, and he suspended an officer at Malate for disobeying his orders. A Spanish commercial deputation waited upon the governor and begged him to surrender, saying that otherwise they would be utterly ruined. The civil members of the council of war favored a surrender, but the military members did not dare to endore such a request. Officers admitted the futility of resisting the Americans.

The British consul promptly arranged for four launches, under a white flag, to remove British subjects and also for one launch for the Chinese. Swarms of Spanish and native half-caste women and children begged to be provided with means for escape.

CEDED THE ARCHIPELAGO.

London, Aug. 19.—The Hong Kong correspondent of the Mail says: "The terms of the capitulation of Manila as agreed upon Saturday between General Jaudenes and General Merritt include the cession of the Philippine archipelago to the United States.

"An American naval officer who arrived from Manila on the Zafiro tells me that the Americans practically walked into Manila. The operations, he says, were confined to the Malate side of the city, where the Spaniards had a fort and two lines of trenches. The troops waded through the Malate river and walked up the beach as though going to lunch, meeting practically no opposition.

"I learn that when General Merritt went ashore after the capitulation of Manila he experienced some difficulty in finding General Jaudenes, who was ultimately found in a church among women and children."

FUTURE OF THE PHILIPPINES.

Paris, Aug. 19.—America's position in the far east is attracting great attention. One paper says: "The Americans will quadruple the value of the Philippines, and Manila will become the rival of Hong Kong. The United States will have a preponderating situation in Chinese waters. There is no market they desire more eagerly than the Chinese, and though they have been forestalled by other powers, they will assuredly overtake their rivals by the rapidity of their progress in that region, and in the coming break up of the Chinese empire the United States will not be content with the worst fortunes for their heritage."

The Times, while congratulating France upon the role of peacemaker, recognizes the fact that it is not always a good thing to put a finger between the hammer and the anvil, saying: "The United States will not hear a word of intervention; and France has no interests in compromising herself gratuitously with a country evidently destined for a more active part in great international affairs. It would be artless to count overmuch on Spanish gratitude."

NO COURT OF INQUIRY.

Washington, Aug. 19.—In reference to a report that Surgeon General Sternberg had asked the secretary of war for a court of inquiry, the secretary stated that on Aug. 4 the surgeon general made a full explanation with reference to the deficiency in medical supplies at Santiago, showing that ample supplies had been sent with the troops from Tampa, but owing to difficulties connected with the landing at Siboney a considerable proportion of the supplies had been left on the transports. In the same letter the surgeon general requested that if this statement was not considered satisfactory a court of inquiry should be appointed to ascertain if there was any responsibility on his part or that of the officers to whom the orders for supplies had been sent. There is no suggestion that a court is to be ordered.

QUESTION OF JURISDICTION.

Washington, Aug. 19.—A point on which officials are without definite information is the extent of our present authority in the Philippines. Under the protocol the United States was given the occupation of Manila, with the bay and harbor, until a permanent disposition of the Philippine question was reached, but according to press dispatches General Merritt and Admiral Dewey received the capitulation of the entire Philippine archipelago. There appears to be some doubt therefore as to whether our present authority and jurisdiction cover Manila only, or extend over all the Philippines as provided by the reported terms of capitulation. There is a disposition to await fuller information before laying down a policy as to the extent of our jurisdiction in the islands.

ALL WANT TO REMAIN.

Washington, Aug. 19.—Up to the present time it looks as if all the volunteers wanted to remain, and the mustering out will have to be by arbitrary order. Information received at the department indicates that the desire to remain in the service is not confined to the officers, but that the rank and file wish to continue. The department will wait until all information possible is obtained when, if no troops desire to return to their homes, selections in the best judgment of the officers will be made. The troops when mustered out will be transported to their homes.

ACT OF COURTESY ONLY.

Berlin, Aug. 19.—Official and leading papers display anxiety to show that the removal of Governor General Augustin from Manila was in no way intended to offend America, but was a mere act of international courtesy. The Kolnische Zeitung and The Post follow the Nord Deutsche Allgemeine Zeitung in declaring that Admiral Dewey approved of General Augustin's departure; but all semi-official explanation fails to explain why so much secrecy was observed.

SPAIN'S COMMISSIONERS.

London, Aug. 19.—The Madrid correspondent of The Daily News says that Generals Blanco, Castellanos and Leon and Admiral Materola have been appointed commissioners for Cuba and Generals Macias and Ortega and Admiral Vallarino for Porto Rico. It is probable that Leon Castillo, the Spanish ambassador to France, will preside at the sessions of the Paris commission. Moret's candidature is made impossible by the hostile attitude of the press."

FOUR DAYS' JUBILEE.

New York, Aug. 19.—The Universal Peace union's American branch will hold a four days' jubilee over the cessation of the war, beginning next Wednesday morning, in the large grove belonging to the union on the banks of the Mystic river, Connecticut. Many well known speakers and prominent men and women will take part. Alfred H. Love of Philadelphia will preside.

ALFRED H. LOVE.

KEY WEST'S MENACE.

Key West, Aug. 19.—The naval base has been transferred from Key West to Norfolk. The reason for this is the appearance of yellow fever here. There are now 10 cases in the marine barracks, all the victims being marines. Forty persons in all are in the building, which is an old cigar factory, and a most rigid quarantine is being maintained. Only one of the cases is said to be serious. Whether there are any scattered cases throughout the town is not known, but this will be determined by a house to house inspection.

The marine hospital and local physicians are confident that the disease will be confined to the barracks, and that there is no danger of an epidemic. The utmost precautions are being observed, however.

JEALOUSY BETWEEN OFFICERS.

Boston, Aug. 19.—In an interview yesterday, regarding the resignations in the Sixth Massachusetts regiment, former Lieutenant Colonel Chaffin stated that he considered his act justifiable. Continuing, he said that there was undoubtedly great jealousy between the staff and field officers, and particularly was this shown against the officers of the Sixth Massachusetts. Captain Goodell of the same regiment, who also resigned, stated that at the time he thought his act was perfectly just, but had he the act to do over again, he would appear before the board of examiners rather than resign.

IS SORRY HE RESIGNED.

Boston, Aug. 19.—A special from Southbridge gives another interview with Captain Goodell, formerly of the Sixth Massachusetts, in which he finally admits that he made a great mistake in resigning. He was led to believe, he said, that it was the intention of the board of inquiry to dishonorably discharge the officers summoned to appear, trumping up the charge of incompetency, and in order to save disgrace he resigned. After his resignation had been accepted he was told that the board simply wished to gain information, and if he had complied with the summons, like Captain Barrett of Milford, he would have passed successfully. Captain Goodell deeply feels his position. He pinned too much faith on what his superior officer told him, but the mistake was discovered too late. He speaks in the highest terms of General Garretson, and finds fault with no one but himself for not using better judgment and appearing before the board as instructed.

The same dispatch contains an interview with Lieutenant Colonel Chaffin, who looks at the trouble in a different light. He claims that his popularity with the Sixth regiment caused jealousy on the part of the regular officers. Owing to the illness of Colonel Woodward, he was practically in charge of the Sixth most of the time, and the regulars, his superiors in office, were bound that his head should come off, together with other officers. As dishonorable discharge would have been their portion anyway, court-martial or no court-martial, he was forced to resign. Regarding the report about shooting stragglers, both officers stated that they had never been officially notified to enforce such a rule, still that was the understanding all along the line.

GERMANS HELP SPANISH.

London, Aug. 19.—The Singapore correspondent of The Daily Mail says: "The native rebellion in the Philippines has extended to the hemp provinces in South Luzon. Heavy fighting occurred at Taglatuan, Pilar and Ponsol, the immediate cause being outrages committed by the Spaniards at Taglatuan. The Spanish also burned Pilar and massacred 800 natives. The insurgents are concentrating at Albay with the object of cutting off the retreat of numerous Spaniards in the Camarinas province.

"A German cruiser has been carrying dispatches from the captain general of the Visayas islands to the district between Cebu and Iligan, and the Spanish military depot in Mindanao. The Rosario, flying the German flag, has also been transporting troops thence to Iloilo."

ARREST OF VOLUNTEERS.

Fall River, Aug. 19.—Privates E. J. McCormack of company D, George McIlaine of company M, Michael Lowry of company D, Ed McKenna and George McCrea of company M, Forty-seventh New York, and James H. Jennings of the Fifth Massachusetts were arrested here last evening for overstaying leave, or disrespect to Lieutenant White, of Fort Adams, who was on provost service. Jennings was arrested at the point of a pistol, and later released, his pass being all right. The others, together with Tom Mansfield, who is alleged to have a penitentiary record in several states, and who was taken for breaking from the guardhouse, were taken back to Newport. Privates Valentine, Roach and Nodine, who escaped with Mansfield, were not found. The troops were paid Wednesday and visited Fall River by the hundred, irrespective of permission.

A MONTH OF HARDSHIP.

Binghamton, N. Y., Aug. 19.—In response to congratulations from the Women's Veteran Relief union of this city, General Shafter wrote from Santiago a letter in which he said: "I have seen something of hard service, but never during the Civil War was there 30 days that tried me as the 30 days beginning from the time we landed on the island of Cuba until the surrender of Santiago, and it is to the gallant soldiers who uncomplainingly bore every privation that the country is indebted for its victory."

WANTS TO BE RETAINED.

Salem, Mass., Aug. 19.—Colonel Pfaff of the First Massachusetts heavy artillery wired Secretary Alger yesterday, in which he asked that the regiment be retained in service. He expressed a hope that the department would not decide to muster out the men, as has been intimated.

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WANTED—Saleswoman to assist in the introduction of an article of merit; salary. References required. Call or address A. F. T. Hicks, Room 34, Bon Marche building, Lowell, Mass.

WANTED—Summer boarders; $4.50 a week. 31 River street, West Lynn.

WANTED—At once, agent to sell home grown nursery stock. For terms address Southworth Bros., Beverly, Mass.

WANTED—Blacksmith wanted immediately; good shoer and general jobber. Good place for steady man. Joseph Carpentier, North Chelmsford, Mass.

WANTED—Ladies to know they can get their straw, leghorn or manilla hats cleansed or dyed and made in the latest shapes at the Hat and Bonnet Bleachery, 161 Merrimack street.

WANTED—Men and women to work at home. I pay $5 to $10 per week for making crayon portraits. New patent method, anyone who can read or write can do the work at home in spare time, day or evening. Send for particulars and work at once. Address H. A. Gripp, German Artist, Tyrone, Pa.

WANTED—500 young and old men to bring their old clothes to Fred P. Low's Dye House and Clothes Cleaning establishment at 477 Merrimack street, where he can make your old suit as good as new for a small sum.

WANTED—Housegirls at the Lowell Employment Office, 559 Merrimack street, opposite City hall.

WANTED—By a man, 35, single place as coachman, hostler or general work. Swett & Co., 104 Central street.

WANT BLOOM OF YOUTH, soft, delicate skin? Use Noonan's Roman Secret. At all drug stores. A. W. Dow, A. E. Hoer, agent for Lowell, corner of Gorham and Appleton streets.

RELIABLE HELP furnished at No. 6 Howe Building, over Street Railway Waiting Station, F. H. A. Moody. Office open at all hours.

AGENTS—100, brings you samples and catalogue of patriotic emblems, etc., by return mail. Quickt Manufacturer, Box 1273, Boston, Mass.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—An Astrachan Collarette at Lakeview Wednesday night. Finder will be rewarded by returning to 318 Moody street.

LOST—A pocketbook containing a large sum of money, either on Concord, Pleasant or Rogers streets. Finder will be rewarded by calling at 246 Concord street.

LOST—Between Royal and Mt. Vernon streets Tuesday morning, a lady's Silver Swiss Watch, open face, monogram on back of case. Reward at Otis Allen & Son's office, 208 Mt. Vernon street.

TO LET.

TO LET—Rooms with or without board, one large front room on first floor with gas, furnished or unfurnished. Price low. 262 Fayette street.

TO LET—Cottage of ten rooms, steam heat, bath, set tubs, hot and cold water cemented cellar, and barn if desired. W. H. Bagshaw, 11 Wilson street.

NEWLY FURNISHED rooms and first class board at the Trilby House, 157 Middlesex street, next door to St. James' hotel.

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We carry the largest stock of Ladies' and Gents' Garments in this city. Our prices are the lowest. THE EAGLE CREDIT HOUSE, 190-192 Middlesex St.

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WAGONS—Owing to death of owner, I have had placed in my hands for sale at some price, handsome new panel side wagon, suitable for laundry, groceries, etc. Also have now and 2nd hand Concords, democrats, grocery wagons, butcher carts, slaughers at very low figures. J. F. Libby, 69 Robbins street.

FOR SALE—Furniture and carpets at a sacrifice; nearly new. 173 Chapel street. 1st bell.

FOR SALE—Two new houses, one on Pawtucket street, nine rooms; one seven room cottage, within eight minutes' walk of the Lawrence mills, hot water, bath, etc.; both in good neighborhood and will be sold cheap on easy terms. Geo. D. Kimball & Co., Runels' block.

FOR SALE—On Cross street, good cottage house, large lot of land. This place can be bought at a bargain. G. L. Hubbard, 121 Central street.

FOR SALE—In Tewksbury, 3 1-2 miles from Lowell post office, two-story house and barn, 10 acres of land. This is a bargain. Price $1800. G. L. Hubbard, 121 Central street.

FOR SALE—Ten R.I.P.A.N.S for 5 cents at druggists. One gives relief.

FOR SALE—Near Gorham street, 7 room cottage house and stable, 5200 feet of land. Price $1800. G. L. Hubbard, 121 Central street.

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FOR SALE—In old Ward. Four 2-tenement house and bank always rented; price $1400. G. L. Hubbard, 121 Central street.

OWNER IN NEED OF MONEY—A lot of land containing 4000 feet, 80x50, on a 50 foot street, 15 minutes from Centralville bridge. Price $100, also two second-hand furnaces. Inquire at 1128 Bridge street.

MENTHOL CREAM Shampoo is used in all leading hair-dressing and bath parlors in New England. Menthol Cream Shampoo removes dandruff and all humors of the scalp. It contains alcohol, glycerine and menthol. It gives a rich, creamy lather and when used in the bath will remove pimples, etc., leaving the skin clear and soft. 55c. per bottle. Sold by leading druggists.

FOR SALE—In N. H., good farm of 150 acres of land, good set of buildings, running water in house and barn, cuts 80 tons of hay, large sugar orchard, lots of wood and timber, 2 1-2 miles from depot; price $700. G. L. Hubbard, 121 Central street.

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NOTICE—I have six different kinds of stamps for cancelling Internal Revenue Stamps, also everything in the rubber stamp line. J. M. Fellows, 154 Merrimack St.

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Will buy this splendid new 2 1-2 story hip roof house of 8 rooms, attic, pantry and bath room with tub, marble wash bowls, etc., hot and cold water, maple floors in dining room, kitchen, pantry and bath room; piazza and balcony; nice lot of land, high and dry; very slightly; near cars and school; will sell for $1800. Small payment down secures this bargain. Quick or you lose it. A. J. RYAN, 3 Hildreth Building, Old Post Office.

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The popular card reader of Boston, will be in this city a short time only, where she can be consulted on business affairs, love, etc., lost articles found, names called. The Madame, born in a veil, has since earliest recollections been gifted with power to reveal past, present and future. Call and be convinced. Fees—Ladies 25 cents; gents 50 cents. Hours—9 a. m. to 9 p. m., at 18 Hurd street, near Central street.

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A. M. BERTRAND, 24 Middle St.
Few doors from the corner of Central St.

GRAND MARK DOWN
CLEARANCE SALE
Every article in our store must be sold, regardless of cost. We must make room for our Winter stock. There are no old chestnuts but all fresh stock bought this season. Our line of new Wrappers surpass anything ever shown in this city.

Children's Gingham Dresses, were 25c. and 38c., now 15c.
25 doz. Ladies' Pique Neckties, were 25c., this sale 5c.
Gents' Soiled Neckties, were 25c., now 5c.
5000 yards heavy Bleached Crash, 3 1-2c. yard.
1000 cakes best Perfumed Soap, only 4c. cake.
1000 spools Clark's O. N. T., colored, for this sale 2 1-2c. spool.
Large Gingham Aprons 10c.
Ladies' Hose in Black and Brown, were 15c. and 19c., now 10c.
Men's extra heavy black and brown Hose, now 10c.
75 doz. Men's Seamless Cotton Hose, only 5c.
75 lbs. Ball Yarn, worth 8c. ball, this sale 2 1-2c. ball.
In order to reduce our enormous stock of Dry Goods, we have our Standard Prints and yard wide Percales, formerly sold for 10c., 8c., 5 1-4c., for this sale 5c. yard.
When you are getting your children ready for school don't forget that we carry a full line of Boys' Suits, Waists and Pants, and we guarantee prices with any other store.
Notwithstanding our elegant line of Wrappers in style and quality, the prices are only 75c., 98c. and $1.25.
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Have just received a large lot of June Vermont Dairy and Creamery Butter in 5, 10 and 20-lb packages at prices that will keep our competitors guessing, and the quality that will please everybody. Give us a trial and we will convince you that we have no competitors in the city.
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Sold at Goodale's Drug Store, the best and cheapest place in Lowell for drugs and medicines, 217 CENTRAL STREET.

THE WEATHER.

ALMANAC, SATURDAY, AUG. 20.

The humidity will probably continue high, with little change from the present oppressive conditions. Except where effected by local disturbances, the winds will be light and variable.

Sun rises—4:56; sets, 6:38.
Moon sets—7:43 p. m.
High tide—12:30 a. m.; 1 p. m.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

GRANULATED SUGAR.

We have not told you anything about Sugar recently. We sell it for 5 1-2c. a pound, or 100 pound bags $5.43. F. O. B. your home. Dickson Bros., the Big Tea Dealers, 68 Merrimack street.

STEAMSHIP TICKETS AND DRAFTS

Sold on the Cunard, White Star, American, Dominion, Anchor, Allan, Red Star, French and German lines, sailing from Boston and New York to Liverpool and Queenstown. Money sent to Ireland, England and all parts of the world. Canada bills bought at Murphy's Steamship Agency, 18 Appleton street.

LOCAL NEWS.

Smokers enjoy Old Hundred cigars.

T. C. Lee, Fire Ins., 223 Central street.

BURN WILSON'S COAL.

Upright piano, $150 at Steinert's, 150 Merrimack St.

Elegant rubber tired hacks at O'Donnell's. Telephone, 430-4.

First class watch work only $1.00 for cleaning. Harris, 10 Appleton St.

If your coal does not suit you, try Stulin, the 953 Gorham street coal dealer. You can get him by telephone.

The employes of the L. L. & H. street railway have been informed that they all must be bonded in the sum of $300.

You cannot afford to use inferior stock on your buildings. Your contractor should order his stock of W. E. Livingston, 15 Thorndike street.

If you want a bicycle, go right up to the Thompson Hardware company. They have a bicycle built to sell for $85.00. You can buy it for $17.50. Only a few left.

The following Lawrence men are serving in the Lowell companies in the Sixth and Ninth regiments: Company M, Ninth regiment—Manley Barrett, John A. Logan, George A. Morris, John J. Winn.

Sixth regiment, Company G—L. Burton Upham.

If any of the persons who were riding on the electric car last Sunday, which left Lynn for Lowell about 4 p. m., and on which the boy was injured at Reading, will call at No. 53 Central street, Room 7, they will do a great kindness to the parents of the injured boy.

SPECIAL MEETING.

There will be a special meeting of the mule spinners union at their hall on Middle street tonight to elect a marshal and two aids for the Labor parade. All the members are respectfully requested to attend.

SCALP WOUND.

Gustaf Anderson, aged 61 years, while drunk last night, fell on Lawrence street, sustaining a severe scalp wound. He was arrested by Officer Henley. Upon his arrival at the station the wound was bleeding profusely and he was removed to St. John's hospital.

FUNDS EXHAUSTED.

The funds contributed for "Country Week" are exhausted and still there are several people waiting for and needing a week's rest. These cases are all urgent ones—people who are ill or overworked, for whom a respite from daily tasks seems imperative. Will no one help this worthy charity?

OSCEOLAS' PICNIC.

The tenth annual union picnic of the Osceolas of Lowell, Lawrence, Haverhill, Woburn and Malden will be held at Shawsheen river grove, Thursday, August 25. The proceeds will be donated to Company L, Sixth Massachusets Regiment. The committee on arrangements consists of John Smith, Moses Grimes, Archie Hood, Harry W. Thompson and James Williamson of Lowell.

SOCIAL PARTY.

An enjoyable social gathering was held last night by the Dandy Black associates at the home of a member on Dummer street. About 50 young lady friends assisted in making the affair a grand success. During the evening a musical and literary program was given. Piano solos were rendered by Miss Etta Tully, Hannah Lyons and Nellie O'Brien and Mr. Joe Quinn; recitation, Patrick Quinn; vocal solos, Fred Cox, Peter Conroy and Neil Cronin. Dancing was also a feature. The officers in charge were: Patrick Quinn, general manager; Martin Miskella; floor director; Frank Doherty chief of nine aids.

LOWELL RELATIVES.

OF WHITTAKER SCOFIELD DID NOT KNOW HIS WHEREABOUTS.

Whittaker Scofield, who had such a narrow escape from death at White Plains, N. Y. resided in this city at 1 Billerica street until three months ago, when he left this city with an intention of enlisting. His brother, Joseph Scofield figured in the School street accident in which a man named Craven was killed. There are also two sisters in Lowell, Mrs. Alfred Watson and Mrs. Harry Stafford.

CAMP MEETING.

A LOWELL MAN ELECTED AS SECRETARY.

The Weirs, N. H., Aug. 18—At the annual meeting of the Methodist Camp Meeting association held this afternoon the following officers were elected: President, Rev. O. S. Baketel, Manchester; secretary, Rev. J. A. Bowler, Lowell, Mass.; treasurer, Rev. A. C. Goult, Manchester; executive committee, L. P. Durgin, Concord; Henry C. Lisbon, Lisbon; W. J. Morrison, The Weirs; Rev. J. E. Robbins, Dover; Rev. R. E. Wolcott, Suncook; Rev. L. R. Danforth, Lancaster; Rev. J. D. Legro, Lisbon; Rev. W. C. Bartlett, Whitefield; J. F. Needo, Meredith.

District Epworth league officers were elected as follows: President, Rev. J. Dinsmore, Haverhill; vice president, Rev. W. T. Carter, East Haverhill; Rev. R. T. Wolcott, secretary; and treasurer, Elizabeth B. Dyer; superintendent junior league, Mrs. J. Roy Dinsmore, Bath.

Dr. Colburn DENTIST 281 MERR'K ST.

CHEATED THE GALLOWS

Pennsylvania Murderer Didn't Wait for the Ordeal.

Strangled and Bled to Death—Was to be Executed for Wife Killing.

Norristown, Pa., Aug. 19.—Charles O. Kaiser, who was to have been hanged two weeks from next Tuesday for the murder of his wife, Emma Kaiser, committed suicide in the county jail by cutting several arteries in his arm, after which he hanged himself with an improvised rope made by twisting one of his bed-sheets. While the condemned man was preparing to cheat the gallows, the prison officials were in conference concerning the purchase of a scaffolding by which to carry out the law. As a consequence, Kaiser was not being watched. When found he had been dead but a short time.

Kaiser had obtained a spring from an alarm clock in his cell, and with this severed several arteries in his arm. To make sure of his act he had twisted the bed-sheet about the bars of the cell door and, making a noose, placed it about his neck. He both strangled and bled to death.

Mrs. Kaiser was murdered on the night of Oct. 28, 1896. She and her husband had gone driving, and she never returned alive. Kaiser told a story of being attacked by highwaymen, who had robbed him and his wife and then killed her and shot him. He was arrested and convicted for the crime and subsequently confessed, implicating James A. Clemmer and his mistress, Lizzie Dekalb, known through witnesses as the "woman in black."

Clemmer and the Dekalb woman were apprehended in New Jersey over a year later, and Kaiser and the woman testified that Clemmer fired the fatal shot. The woman pleaded guilty to being accessory after the fact. Clemmer was convicted and sentenced to death. Both Clemmer and the woman occupy cells in the jail close to where Kaiser took his life.

FONTAINE CONFESSES

THAT HE ENTERED THE BRISTOL DEPOT.

Frank Fontaine, who was arrested in this city on a charge of breaking and entering the railroad station in Bristol has been turned over to the Grafton county authorities.

To Marshal Rand, who took him from this city, Fontaine admitted that he alone was responsible for the break. He said that he found the door of the station open and was only compelled to break open the drawer in order to get at the tickets. He took ten mileage books and ten tickets, one of which he used to get to this city, and another to Nashua, en route to his home in Lowell.

Fontaine resides with his mother in Lowell and has served one term of five years in the Concord, Mass., reformatory for a job similar to the one done at Bristol.

CRICKET MATTERS.

The St. John's Cricket club, second eleven, will play Lowell Zions in this city, Saturday, August 20.

The following players have been selected to represent the Arlington-Parkvales against the North Billerica C. C. in this city on Saturday next. A. Bold, captain; J. Callaghan, J. Barrett, J. Hawthorne, S. Midgley, J. McHugh J. Bowyer, J. Oldroyd, E. Campbell, E. Gearnis, W. Hymes. Reserves: A. Leach and J. Cassidy. Meet at the transfer station for the 1 o'clock car.

BOXING GOSSIP.

Warren Lewis, president of the Greater New York Athletic club, secured an injunction yesterday from Justice Lambert in the supreme court, Brooklyn, to restrain Thos. F. Hyrnes Alexander Brown, John F. Dowdell, and John Cantwell from giving exhibitions in the club house or conducting any business under the name of the club or using its license or its property in any way. Lewis alleges that immediately after the Sharkey-Ruhlin fight an attempt was made by the other members of the club to freeze him out. Lewis said yesterday that his reputation as a patron of sport had been hurt by these men who had tried to freeze him out and who had run the club in a disreputable manner.

The betting on the Downey-McBride fight is very even. The men meet in a return match of twenty-five rounds' duration at The Greater New York A. C., August 22.

Kid McPartland and Owen Zeigler are to box twenty-five round at the Lenox A. C., New York, tomorrow night. McPartland is slightly the favorite.

Terry McGovern and Tim Callahan, the clever Philadelphian, will meet in a return match at the Pelican A. C., Brooklyn on Saturday night. Callahan has already whipped the Brooklynite.

A San Francisco club offers a good purse for Peter Maher to meet an unknown. It's pretty good betting that the unknown is Jim Jeffries.

The National Sporting club of London is trying to arrange a match between Johnny Hughes and Jack Daly.

Tom Carpenter is in the field with an open challenge to any 145-pound man in New England. Joe Horn had a backer who is ready to bet considerable money on Joe's chances against the Woburnite.

George Kerwin of Chicago has drawn the colored line. He was offered good inducements to meet Andy Watson or Joe Gans. He refused to match with either. In view of his three fights with Chapple Jones at Chicago during the past spring, it is hard to understand Kerwin's action.

Tommy Moriarty, the Lowell boxer, has two matches on in the west. He meets Walter N olan at Chicago Monday night and he goes against Charley Burns at Louisville, Sept. 5.

BASE BALL.

The Shamrocks and Big 7 will not meet at Belle Grove tomorrow, as was previously intended. The reasons that the former team gives are that the grounds are not in fit condition to play upon and the terms of the parties in charge cannot satisfy the nine. It is thought that arrangements can be effected to have the Atlantics and Shamrocks meet on the South common.

While no deposit has been made by the managers of the Fairmounts and Wannalancits, as yet, the game is scheduled and will surely be played on the Mountain Rock grounds (weather permitting) for a purse of $50. Both teams will go after the money from the start and all the tricks that the players of both teams are acquainted with will be turned to have success perched upon their banner. Jordon and Niland will essay for honors in the box for the Fairmounts and Wannalancits respectively, and a better match could not be made. "Chuck" Davis will retain his position behind the bat and Tommy Ahearn will make his first appearance on the initial base for the Fairmounts. "Mather" Lynch will catch for the Wanns. Tom Fee and scores of rooters buoyed by the thoughts of the severe defeat the Belvidere boys crushed upon the Shamrocks will cheer their side to victory possibly. To offset this, the usual large number of Wann. rooters will be upon the scene and will do their utmost to assist the North Enders to win. As the last game the two teams played was intensely exciting and the Fairmounts claimed unfair treatment, a new interest will be lent the game and whoever wins will win by fair means.

The Elms and Atlantics have made superficial arrangements for a game to take place on the South common tomorrow.

The Mysteries of Centralville will play the Merrimack Juniors tomorrow on Fels' field. Chappy Brown will probably pitch for the former team, while the Dracuts will place their confidence in an unknown.

If King fields and bats tomorrow as well as he did in his last game, he will probably lead in both the arts as both pitchers have the name of being very effective.

The following is the list of players who will play Labor Day at Mountain Rock: Wannalancits: Lynch, Grimes, Flo Murray, John Murray, Boyle, Leslie, Scully, McCarthy, Niland sub. Shamrocks: Roarke, Sfirk, E. Kearns, Sullivan, J. Kearns, Fahey, Kenney, Murray, Lane.

The personnel of the Wannalancits will be precisely the same tomorrow as it was last game. The Fairmounts will differ but slightly, Tommy Ahearn filling a weak spot.

Hickey, formerly of the Shamrocks, now of Hingham, is expected back to this city in a few days.

Jack Sutherland of the famous old Orientals is being rejuvenated by backers of a prominent young team. Jack was among the best in his day and with practice he can undoubtedly find a berth among the leaders now.

The grass at Mountain Rock will be cut for the Wann-Fairmount game.

Tebby Quinn, Bart. Murray, Pat. O'Brien and Buckey Kavanaugh have been elected a board of directors by the Shamrocks. Mike Keegan was elected a director of the Wanns. at a meeting held last night.

The persistency with which the crowds block the infield of the old Emerald grounds on the North common is very discouraging to the players of a game. And especially it is so in an exciting contest when every run and also every error counts. This fact was illustrated in the Shamrock-Wannalancit game when several apparently easy plays were rendered impossible by the handicap. For more than two hours those men who were risking $50 were in constant fear of a ball dropping in the middle of the nuisance. With men on bases, it meant sure defeat for the fielding team, but nevertheless, the crowd remained with a serenity that was disgusting. With a clear field, a week from last Saturday the score would have read something like 4 to 3 rather than 10 to 9. In years previous to this, a police officer was detailed to the North common, but this year a request for an officer has been refused by Supt. Davis. If the players were but furnished police protection the public would be treated to some fine exciting contests where no admission is charged. It would be a great boon to employes of the mills in search of spending their half holiday to good advantage.

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$1.25 Bicycle Leggins,	49c pair	50c Leather Belts,	25c each	25c Ladies' Bow Ties,	12 1-2c ea	25c Stick Pins,	10c ea
50c Trimmed Drawers,	29c pair	50c Boys' School Waists,	25c each	50c "Crom" (Lavender) Salts,	29c bot	8c Hair Pin Boxes,	3c box
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25c Child's Button Boots,	39c pair	Half Gal. Bot. Ammonia,	10c	15c Stick Pins,	5c ea	50c Steel Scissors,	25c pair
25c Books (200 titles),	5c vol	3 Cakes Buttermilk Soap for	10c			20c Whisk Brooms,	10c ea
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